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CANADA WILL SEND MORE MEN

Twelve Battalions Are to Proceed to England Immediately to Complete Their Training in Old Country.

KOOTENAY REGIMENT HAS BEEN SELECTED

Expected That Dominion Will Put Another Division in the Field, Making Full Army Corps.

OTTAWA, Aug. 28.—The return of Sir Robert Borden and Sir Samuel Hughes, it is believed at Ottawa, will be signalled by a call for fifty thousand additional men for overseas service.

The Premier and Minister of Militia have been to the front, have seen the conditions, noted the needs and conferred with the British Government, and it is the opinion of those who are in a position to know here that as a result of these conferences with Lord Kitchener and other British leaders, Canada will be called upon for additional reinforcements to the number of at least 50,000. Orders for twelve new battalions were issued today to be sent to England immediately. It is believed that the Imperial authorities have made known to the Dominion Government the intention to make a new offensive movement this Fall, which will make heavy demands on reinforcements. While it is not thought that any definite arrangements have been made as to what part Canada is to play in this movement it is believed that another division will be authorized. This will give Canada three full divisions at the front. The first division has been in France ever since February, under the command of Lieut.-General Alderson. The second division is in England, but is expected to cross the channel any day now. It is commanded by Brigadier-General Turner. If a third division is formed it will give Canada a full army corps. Including the ten thousand on garrison and home duty in Canada, the Dominion has now under arms approximately 155,000 men. When the twelve new battalions reach England there will be roughly 100,000 men under arms in Europe, 50,000 men in training in Canada; 1,000 men in Bermuda; 500 men at St. Lucia, British West Indies; medical corps at Cairo, consisting of three stationary hospitals, and 10,000 men in Canada garrisoning Halifax, Quebec, Esquimalt and guarding Canadian elevators, patrolling the western boundary, and on duty at internment camps. With the additional fifty thousand men Canada will have, within a couple of months, a splendidly equipped and trained army of over 200,000. If there is a call for 50,000 reinforcements, the Militia authorities anticipate no difficulty in securing the men. They state recruiting during the last few weeks has been brisker than for months. In fact, not since the outbreak of war has there been such enthusiasm and such a deluge of men willing to join the ranks. With harvesting over and winter approaching and many industries of certain lines somewhat slack, it is believed that any number of men will be available.

Announcement was made this morning by Senator Lougheed, Acting Minister of Militia, that twelve complete battalions are about to be sent to England. The battalions selected are those in the various divisional areas and military districts which were recruited first.

The twelve battalions which have been selected are:

Divisional Area No. 1.—23rd Battalion, London; Lieut.-Col. Wilson; 24th Battalion, Guelph, Lieut.-Col. A. J. Oliver.

Divisional Area No. 2—35th Battalion, Toronto; Lieut.-Col. McCordick. 37th Battalion, North Bay, Sudbury and Sault Ste. Marie; Lieut.-Col. A. Genest.

Divisional Areas Nos. 4 and 5—41st Battalion, Quebec; Lieut.-Col. Archambault.

Divisional Area No. 6.—40th Battalion, Amherst; Lieut.-Col. A. J. Vincent. 55th Battalion, St. John, N. B.; Lieut.-Col. J. R. Kirkpatrick.

Military District No. 10—44th Battalion, Sewell Camp; Lieut.-Col. Whelan. 45th Battalion, Sewell Camp; Lieut.-Col. F. V. Clark.

Military District No. 13.—50th Battalion, Calgary; Lieut.-Col. E. G. Mason.

It is explained that the senior battalion in each divisional area or military district has been selected to go to the front.

In British Columbia the 54th Regiment, Kootenay, formerly commanded by Lieut.-Col. Davis, who now is raising a pioneer regiment, has been chosen. Major Kembell is now in command. In the Kootenay country most of the able-bodied men are engaged in the production of basic metarials for the manufacture of munitions. In view of this condition it is not likely that the Kootenay district will be called upon to furnish many additional drafts for the front.

NO DECISION YET

Officials of B. C. Electric Company Are Disappointed With Findings of Arbitration Board

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 28.—No decision has been reached as to the acceptance or otherwise of the award recently made by the Board of Conciliation by the B. C. E. R. officials, according to announcement made at the offices of the company this afternoon. It was stated that the terms of the award, both as regards wages and working conditions, were a disappointment to the company, especially in view of the prevailing conditions, and that consequently a decision could not be given without the fullest and most careful consideration.

UNDER GOVERNOR-GENERAL

Territory in Poland and Russia Occupied by Germans to Be Ruled by Von Beseler

BERLIN, via London, Aug. 28.—The occupied regions of Poland and Russia under German administraton have been formed into a governor-generalship and placed, like Belgium, under a governor-general. For this post, General von Beseler, conqueror of Antwerp and Novo Georgievsk, has been selected. The Austro-Hungarian and German Governments some time ago perfected an agreement for a division of the territory in occupied regions west of the Vistula River for administrative purposes. This presumably will be extended in the newly-occupied districts of Russia and will constitute a provisional war-time arrangement for the administration of affairs of Poland until the fate of that country is definitely arranged at the conclusion of peace.

KING NICHOLAS AT FRONT

Aged Monarch of Montenegro Still Fighting—Action With Austrians Near Border

PARIS, Aug. 28.—A resumption of hostilities between the Montenegrins and the Austrians is announced in the following official statement given out by the Montenegrin consul-general:

"A lively two-hour engagement occurred yesterday near the mouth of the Gulf of Cattaro (in Dalmatia, near the Montenegrin border) between outposts and rather strong detachments of Austrians. The Austrians retired, leaving numerous dead on the field. Ten prisoners remained in our hands.

"King Nicholas has gone to the front."

CAPTURED MUCH WAR MATERIAL

Italians' Success in Strina Valley Resulted in Taking of Number of Guns and Much Ammunition.

ROME, Aug. 28.—The following official statement was issued tonight:

"Details of our success in the Strina valley show that the enemy suffered severe losses, leaving in our possession a great quantity of machine guns, ammunition and sixteen cases of bombs. An important force of the enemy at Eaccarant and Pozzi Alta suffered severely, some guns being destroyed and those remaining being transferred to other positions outside the defence works, from where they still reply to our fire.

"The enemy continued an artillery action against Borgo in the Val Bugana region, doing little damage, and tried to attack in force our positions at Seikofel in the valley of Monte Piano, north of Misurina and Zellankofel west of Monte Croce and Carnico, but everywhere were repulsed.

"In the Plezzo sector our artillery operated successfully against enemy troops in the Lepenje Valley and against columns on the march along the road to the upper Isonzo, interrupting their advance. On the Carso front we also effectively bombarded the enemy's skirmishers near Doberdo Lake and marching columns between Doberdo and Larcottini.

"Among materials taken by us in trenches captured on August 30 at Monte Nero we found two apparatuses supposed to be for inflammable liquids."

VIENNA, Aug. 28.—The following official statement was issued at army headquarters this evening:

"Italian war theatre: On the coastal front the enemy last night and at daybreak attempted an attack at several points but was repulsed everywhere, especially east of Colazzo, San Martino and the plateau of Doberdo and near our positions north of the bridge head.

"In the Flitsch region the fighting continues.

"In the Tyrol the Italians are approaching our positions north of Lugano Valley."

MAY BE ANOTHER STRIKE

Polishers and Braziers at Remington Arms Factories Have Grievances as to Wages

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 28.—Reports that another strike was threatened at the Remington arms and ammunition factories, this time among the polishers and braziers, came today as a disturbing factor in the industrial situation here which was believed to be rapidly clearing through adjustment of the troubles at the various plants in the city.

The polishers and braziers, it is stated, claim that when wages were advanced on the settlement of the recent strike their department was not included and when they designated a shop committee to seek adjustment of wages the committee was discharged.

J. J. Flynn, international president of the Union, who was here to take charge, stated that a strike might be necessary. The general situation remained unchanged tonight.

DANGEROUS FOREST FIRES

Timber in State of Oregon Suffering From Conflagrations Started by Lightning

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 28.—In almost every direction from Portland, for a radius from ten to one hundred miles, more than a dozen forest fires are burning, and with the intense heat today, and winds, they are threatening to become more serious than at any time this year.

Three fires of alarming proportions are spreading in the eastern part of Clackamas County along the timber belt of the Cascade Mountain range south from the Columbia River. These fires, like several of the others, were started by lightning during a thunderstorm the last few days.

ATTEMPT NOT YET GIVEN UP

Germanic Allies Still Pursue Their Fruitless Efforts to Trap Armies of Grand Duke Nicholas.

ENEMY DARE NOT DETACH STRONG FORCE

On Western Front Allied Airmen Continue Their Raids on Important Strategic Points —Balkan Situation.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The Germanic allies have not yet exhausted their efforts to smash completely the Russian army. While the Germans in the Baltic provinces under Field Marshal von Hindenburg have again become aggressive and are attempting to drive the Russians back to Dvina, the Austro-Hungarians, with the assistance of the Germans, have taken the offensive in Southeastern Galicia, and, according to official statements from Berlin and Vienna, have succeeded in breaking through the Russian position on the Zlota Lipa River, north and south of Brzezany.

Along the rest of the front the Germans claim to be gaining more ground, but apparently they are as far as ever from their main endeavor—the capture or destruction of the Russian armies. The latter, although hard pressed at many points, continue their orderly retreat, leaving little or nothing that might be used by the invaders. Some rear guards, which were left behind with machine guns to retard the Austro-German advance, have been captured, but the guns and main forces invariably have kept out of reach of the relentless pursuers.

Whether the Russians will be able to stand in the new positions, which they are said to have prepared, the next few days should tell. There are reports that reinforcements are being sent from the East to the Western and Serbian fronts, but military writers express the opinion that, as long as the Russian armies remain intact, it would be dangerous for the Austrians and Germans to detach troops. Now that the fortresses are reduced, however, the big guns might be moved to some other field of operations.

This opinion apparently is borne out by the fact that there is no evidence of a German offensive in the West, while Serbian aviators are said to have ascertained that the Austro-German force gathered at Orsova for a rumored effort to force a way through Serbia and Bulgaria to render aid to Turkey, is not of the strength reported. Indeed the Serbians express the opinion that the forces are not strong enough for the task which some writers have set for them.

On the Western front the activity of the airmen continues. Six German aviators attempted an attack on Paris, but were driven off with the loss of one machine, while the Allies, apparently the British, threw bombs on Ostend, Middelkerke and Bruges. On the dunes at Middelkerke the Germans have some of their most formidable batteries for use against attacks from the sea, while at Bruges the objective of the airmen would be the canal and docks which are used extensively by the Germans for transport purposes. This was doubtless a further phase of the attack on the Belgian coast initiated by the British warships last Tuesday.

The Balkan situation still creates a great deal of interest.

Serbia's reply to the Allied powers has not yet been delivered, and Bulgaria, Greece and Roumania are holding their hands until the contents are known.

LEADERS CONFER WITH MINISTERS

Committee Representing the Welsh Miners Now on Strike Visit London and Hold Conference With Mr. Runciman.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Although it had been announced that the Right Hon. Walter Runciman, President of the Board of Trade, who acted as arbitrator in the present coal strike, would decline to see a deputation of miners, Mr. Runciman and the Right Hon. David Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, conferred for half an hour today with the committee representing the men, which came to London from Cardiff.

A further conference will be held on Monday.

Although there is dissatisfaction among the miners with Mr. Runciman's award, the men's leaders are standing firmly against a new strike at this time. Nevertheless reports from the coalfields today stated that 4,000 men had left work.

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Forty thousand Welsh coal miners today refused to obey their leaders' orders to resume work. As a result sixteen large collieries still were shut down.

Earthquake Felt

AVEZZANO, Italy, Aug. 28.—Several earthquake shocks have been felt during the last twenty-four hours. No damage has been done, however

POSITION IMPROVES

Reports From All Sources Point to Speedy Solution of Balkan Problem

LONDON, Aug. 28.—An important advance has been made towards the solution of the Balkan problem in a way favorable to the Allies.

Dispatches from Nish and Rome state that Serbia's reply, to the joint note of the Entente powers has been delivered, and though it was asserted by Reuter that there was no authentic confirmation by the Italian Government of Rome's statement as to the receipt of the reply, there is reason to believe that confirmation will not long be withheld.

The greater facilities of communication between Nish and Rome explains why Serbia's reply was not presented simultaneously to all four Goverments interested.

It is thought practically certain by observers of foreign affairs here that Serbia has agreed to make the "indispensable sacrifice" referred to in the resolution in Parliament. Unless this expectation proves false, a great step has been taken toward the formation of the Balkan union, for which allied diplomacy has been striving, and events should move rapidly from now on.

PRUSSIAN CASUALTIES

Lists Recently Issued Bring Total Up to One and Three-Quarter Million

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 28.—The Prussian casualty list from numbers 303 to 309, gives the names of 40,245 killed, wonuded and missing, according to the Nieuwe Rotterdamsche Courant. The total number of Prussian losses published up to August 24th amounts to 1,740,836 killed, wounded and missing, says the paper.

The above must be added to the Bavarian list No. 214, the Saxon list No. 184, the Wuerttemburgian list No. 247, and the naval list No. 44.

FAIL TO BREAK RUSSIAN LINE

Repeated Attempts by Austro-German Forces to Force Way Through Defences Are Frustrated.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 28.—The following official statement was issued tonight:

"In the Riga region there is no change. In the direction of Frederichstadt stubborn fighting continues, the enemy attempting to break through the railway from Kreuzberg and Mitau in the direction of Vilna, on the right bank of the Vilija, and also between the Vilna and the Niemen. On Thursday and Friday the German offensive was checked by counter-attacks on the Middle Niemen and also on the front between the Bobr and Pripet.

"Yesterday our retreat continued, with rear guard fighting, the offensive being concentrated in the direction of Bielstock and along the western border of Beloveskaja and Puzska and also toward Kobrin.

"On the right bank of the Bug on Thursday the enemy started an offensive movement from Vladimir-Volynsky toward Torchin, Lokachi and Poritsk. On the Upper Bug River, the Zlota Lipa and the Dniester on Friday night and today, the enemy attempted to attack in sections, especially in the region of Brzezany, and also to the west of Podgaitzi, where he got a footing on the left bank of the Zlota Lipa."

VIENNA, via London, Ag. 28.—The following Austrian war statement was given out here today:

"Russian war theatre—Our armies in East Galicia yesterday broke through the Russian front at several points on the Zlota Lipa River, which the Russians for many weeks have been engaged in fortifying. East of Przemysl and west of Podhayczyki and Monasterzyska we penetrated the hostile lines. Between Gologury and Brzecany we took Russian positions extending over a front of thirty kilometres.

"Austro-Hungarian regiments stormed the Russian positions between Gologury and Dunaow, and the Allied troops took positions near Brzecany. We captured twenty officers and 6,000 men. Hostile counter-attacks were unsuccessful. The enemy began a retreat along the whole front this morning.

"East of Vladimir-Volynsky (Southern Russian Poland) heavy fighting took place. The army of General von Puhallo threw the enemy back in the direction of Lutsk, whither they are pursuing him. North of Pripet the Allies are aproaching the town of Korbin from the south and west. Austro-Hungarian forces fighting near Kamieniez-Litovsk drove the enemy from positions north and east of the town.

A DIPLOMATIC VICTORY

London Daily News Says President Wilson May Break Arrogance of German Government

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The Daily News says in an editorial:

"If it is true that Germany is prepared to abandon, or at least, suspend her attacks upon passenger carrying ships, the United States has won a considerable diplomatic victory. It is not, of course, a great achievement in itself for a powerful Government to extract from a still nominally friendly people an assurance that they will not murder any more of its subjects, but it is a considerable feat to have broken, at least, the brutal self-sufficiency which it is claimed in Germany can be the only law by which the action of the Government and the people could be guided.

"If this really can be accomplished, President Wilson has struck a great blow for peace in other continents than America."

Makes Inaugural Journey

SIR WILLIAM MACKENZIE
President of Canadian Northern Railway, now visiting Victoria, is well satisfied with condition of new road.

REACH HOME NEXT WEEK

Sir Robert Borden and Party Will Arrive at New York on Tuesday

MONTREAL, Aug. 27.—The Montreal Gazette's London correspondent cabled last night:

"Sir Robert Borden, Mr. R. B. Bennett, M.P., and Sir Samuel Hughes may be expected at New York by the last of the month. In commenting on their departure, now made public, The Times, referring to the Premier's visit, says that it has been a memorable one. His attendance at the British Cabinet meeting on July 14 created a precedent of extraordinary importance.

Sir Robert made some memorable speeches during his visit, particularly when he received the freedom of the city of London, and at the Opera House meeting. Both at the front and in this country he was unwearied in visiting Canadian troops and the wounded in the hospitals."

MAKES REPLY TO WAR SECRETARY

Colonel Roosevelt Calls Attention to What He Terms the Serious Deterioration of United States Fleet.

OYSTER BAY, Long Island, N. Y., Aug. 28.—Former President Theodore Roosevelt tonight issued another lengthy statement in reply to Secretary of War Garrison, in a controversy brought about by his Plattsburg speech. Col. Roosevelt took issue with the Secretary on the administration's attitude towards Mexico and Hayti. He also called attention to what he called the "unpreparedness" of the fleet, saying in part:

"I point out to him that for nearly two years, in 1913 and 1914, the ships of the navy were never exercised in fleet manoeuvring, and, as I am reliably informed, were never exercised in fleet and squadron modern gunnery. A moderately intelligent child of six knows that the failure for two years to undertake such manoeuvres means a literally criminal deterioration in the fleet and cannot possibly mean anything else. No expert knowledge is necessary on this point. It is a mere matter of common sense.

"The very great falling off in the gunnery that was shown by the results last Spring and the early part of the Summer are directly due to this culpable misconduct in handling our navy; and it represents unpreparedness of the very worst kind, because unpreparedness that takes the shape of letting the weapons that have been made ready utterly deteriorate is even worse than failure to provide new weapons."

BANKERS ARE COMING

Three Hundred Eastern Financial Men en Route to Seattle for Convention

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Three special trains carrying more than 300 bankers from New York and New England bound for the forty-first annual convention of the American Bankers' Association, to be held in Seattle from September 6 to 10, left here today.

Additional delegates from New England will join the party at Albany. The trains will pass over routes which will enable the bankers to visit Glacier National Park, the Canadian Rockies, Salt Lake, the Panama-Pacific Exposition and the fair at San Diego, California.

First Prosecution

LONDON, Aug. 28.—The first prosecution at Glasgow for shebeening, consequent on the operation of the new liquor sales restrictions, was against a woman. Curiously enough, it was discovered that the new order, while imposing a heavy penalty on recognized dealers for a breach of the regulations, omitted to provide for shebeening. A heavy fine was inflicted, nevertheless. Since the regulations began to operate last Monday, sales have dropped 50 per cent.

ENEMY MACHINE FALLS TO EARTH

Attempted Air Raid on Paris Ends in Disaster—Pilot Incinerated With His Aeroplane.

PARIS, Aug. 28.—The following French official statement was given out tonight:

"In the region of Nieuport, Hetsas, to the north of Arras, and to the east of the road to Lille, the German trenches have been violently and efficaciously bombarded. A fight, in which bombs and mortars were used, has taken place in the Quennevieres sector.

"Artillery fighting is reported in the Argonne where our batteries have silenced the enemy's attempts to shell La Fillemorte, at Marie-Therese, at St. Hubert and at Four de Paris.

"Artillery fire is reported at Le Pretre Wood, in the forest of Parroy and in the sectors of La Chapelotte Launoisse, in the Vosges.

"This morning towards 10 o'clock three German aeroplanes started from the region of Soissons and three from the region of Compiegne, heading for Paris. They were unable to reach their goal and only dropped a few bombs on Nogent-Sur-Marne, Montmorency, Montgarmeil Ribcourt and Compiegne, in which city two male nurses and a child were killed. The enemy aeroplanes, being promptly detected, were shelled at various points and chased by our airmen. The commander of one of our aeroplane squadrons chased one of the enemy aeroplanes at a height of 1,100 feet and brought it down to the north of Senlis. The pilot and his machine were incinerated."

An earlier report from Paris gave the following account of the attempted raid:

"The German machines crossed the French lines flying at a great height and driving towards the city of Paris. When over a point to the north of the capital, they sighted a French air flotilla which was waiting for them, and three of the German aeroplanes wheeled about and headed for the German lines.

"Two of the German machines escaped but one was outdistanced by its pursuers and was riddled with bullets. It fell flaming into the forest of Halatte, where the burned bodies of two aviators were found.

"The fourth machine dropped five bombs on Montmorency, a town fifteen miles from Paris. No one was hurt. The batteries at Montmorency opened fire on the aeroplanes."

The War Office announced this afternoon: "French aviators during the night bombarded the railroad station at Chattel-en-Argonne."

Along the remaining portions of the Western front, according to the statement, the fighting during the past twenty-four hours has been confined to artillery engagements. The bombardments in the regions of Souchez, Neuville, Roye, Quennevieres and the Nouvron plateau were particularly heavy.

Cholera in Germany

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—Owing to a few cases of cholera along the rivers Oder and Spree, the Prefect of Police has issued a warning to the populace against using unboiled water from these rivers.

WILL LAY RAILS ON ISLAND ROAD

Sir William Mackenzie Says Victoria-Patricia Bay Line Will Be Put in Running Order.

MONEY IS AVAILABLE FOR DEVELOPMENTS

C. N. R. President Expresses Satisfaction at Success Attending Initial Trip From Toronto to Port Mann.

That section of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway system on Vancouver Island, running from the city of Victoria to Patricia Bay, is to be completed, and placed in running order without delay. This definite statement is made by Sir William Mackenzie, president of the Canadian Northern, who, with a large party of officials and friends, has just completed the through trip from Toronto over the main line, as far as Port Mann.

On his arrival in Victoria last night, Sir William conferred with Mr. D. O. Lewis, divisional engineer for the Island system of the railway, and instructed him to resume active construction on the Saanich railway. The necessary rails for the Patricia Bay line are all at Port Mann, and these will be brought to the Island.

"We have had a delightful trip, and everyone in the party seemed thoroughly pleased with Canada's third transcontinental railway," said Sir William. "Personally, I am more than ever satisfied that the project, now approaching full completion, will prove a very important factor in the development of Western Canada, and fully justifies every dollar of expenditure. The immense wheat crop in the Prairies this year, exemplifies the wisdom of those who initiated the enterprise and stood by it until it is now practically ready for operation.

Will Commence Laying Steel

"Arrangements are being made for operating transcontinental trains through from the Coast to Toronto, and we hope to have the Patricia Bay line ready and a ferry service established without any further delay. It is true we have been a little slow on the Island, but every business man in the country knows the tremendous difficulties we have had to face. We have now made such financial arrangements as will enable us to complete many of our projects at the Coast without loss of time. We shall commence laying steel on Vancouver Island at once. The Patricia Bay line will be placed in operation soon after through traffic is instituted. The Lulu Island lines, part of the Mainland-Island service, affording connection between Port Mann and Victoria, via Patricia Bay, have been completed for some time. The freight terminals at Port Mann are already ready for operation.

"Just as soon as facilities are established at the Coast cities for handling wheat, we expect to haul grain west from the Prairie Provinces. It is just as easy to haul it West as East. The Canadian Northern Railway system handled one-third of the entire grain crop of the Canadian Northwest last year, and expects to repeat the performance this season."

With reference to the financial status of the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway at the present time, Sir William alluded to the fact that a loan for $11,500,000 had been successfully floated in New York last week. A portion of this money would be available for the development of the company's terminal and other projects in British Columbia. The Canadian Northern Pacific had been concentrating its energies during the past two years on the completion of its lines through British Columbia, and now that this purpose had been accomplished, it would take up with greater activity the completion of the detailed enterprises at and near the Coast cities.

Sir William expressed the greatest satisfaction at the success which has attended the initial through trip of 2,950 miles to Port Mann from Toronto. The actual running time was 91 hours. The president was accompanied to the Coast from Toronto by a distinguished party of railway officials and guests of the company, but only the following came with him to Victoria: Lady Mackenzie, Sir Glenholme and Lady Falconbridge, Mr. D. B. Hanna, Mrs. Hanna, and Miss Jean Hanna, and Mr. W. A. Tuxford, Secretary to Mr. Hanna.

Sir William last evening had a conference with Sir Richard McBride, and intends leaving this morning for the Mainland, where the special train will be boarded for the East.

Anti-American Feeling

LONDON, Aug. 28.—A hostile demonstration took place before the American consulate in Berlin last night, according to Exchange Telegraph dispatches from Amsterdam received here today. The police were called out and the mob was dispersed before damage was done.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Colonist, August 29, 1865)

Gold Export—The amount of gold received and exported by the Bank of British Columbia and the Bank of British North America, in Cariboo, for the past month, was $177,000, while an additional $1,000 was shipped to private [illegible].

Queen Charlotte Coal—A quantity of anthracite coal from the Queen Charlotte Company's mine was tested at [illegible] foundry on Wednesday and found to be of most satisfactory quality. According to reports, a new company has secured the privilege from the Government to do prospecting for four months over all the remaining land of the island not reserved. This territory will embrace an area of some [illegible] acres. May every success attend this and all similar undertakings having in mind the realization of the popular cry, "Develop the Resources."

Chief Justice Appointed—Mr. [illegible], a well known English lawyer, of [illegible] years' standing, has been appointed to act as chief justice for this colony, and he will leave for the West within a short space of time. According to those who know Mr. [illegible], he is a sound lawyer and well qualified to fill the office.

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RELIEF WILL NOT ARRIVE IN TIME

Col. Popovitch, of Serbian Army, Says Teutonic Forces Cannot Cut Their Way to Constantinople.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Col. Javrem J. Popovitch, of the Serbian army, who was taken from duty at the front several weeks ago, when he lost his left hand, and sent to New York on a special mission for his Government, gave out an interview yesterday, in which he said Serbia would be able to hold back the Teuton hosts from going to Turkey's aid and that the fall of Constantinople was only a matter of time. Col. Popovitch remarked that his opinions were purely individual and not official.

"Trained in previous war experience, Serbia during its recent comparative military inactivity has been preparing," he said. "She now has a much larger army than ever before in her history, and the best equipped. Serbia has also established unlimited lines of fortifications.

"For these reasons and because of the unusual bravery of the Serbian army and the mountainous nature of the country, and with consideration for other things I am not at liberty to mention, an army which wished quickly to subjugate Serbia and cut a road to Turkey would have to have at least 800,000 men of German quality, or 1,200,000 of Austrian quality. We know the difference.

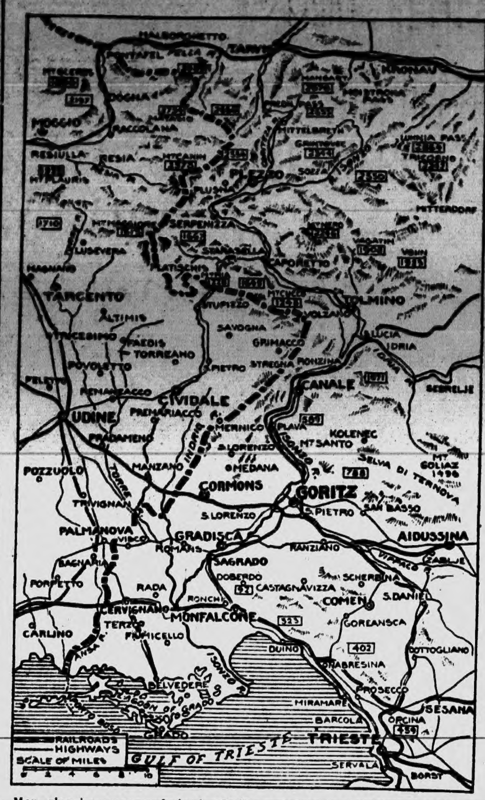
"It is not to be believed that the Teutons in the present strife in Europe can spare any such army without dangerously weakening their lines. The most important front of the war is the Teuton-Russian, for that is where the war will be decided. I, as a soldier, see being performed there two actions of exceptional strategic interest. The Teutons, with extraordinary rapid manoeuvres, are putting strong pressure on the Russian armies, and the Russians, in a momentarily difficult situation, are performing strategical manoeuvring with unheard-of genius. They are retreating in time. They are saving their vital power — their o r g a n i z e d military strength. The war cannot be ended to Germany's advantage until that vital power is obliterated. From a military standpoint, the Russians are due to become even more dangerous to Germany in the second half of the war.

"From what I have said, it follows that the Teutons cannot spare a large force for new operations in the Balkans. It is my opinion that the Dardanelles will fall long before any Teuton force can get through to the relief of the Turks."

Col. Popovitch said he believed that eventually Serbia, Roumania, Bulgaria and Greece would be found lined up together. That would mean a force of 1,800,000 men opposed to the Teutonic forward movement toward the Dardanelles, he said.

"Of this army," he said, "1,250,000 are veterans of the Balkan wars. They would be led by officers who have completed their military training by actual war experience."

Striving to Seize Gorizia



Map showing scene of Austro-Italian operations. The opposing forces have been engaged in a desperate struggle along the Isonzo River for the past three months.

DISCUSS POLICY WITH EMPEROR

Chancellor and Admiral von Tirpitz Leave for Eastern Front—No Report Yet on Arabic Incident.

BERLIN, Aug. 28.—Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg the German Chancellor, and Admiral von Tirpitz, Minister of Marine, who left together on Wednesday evening to join the Emperor are still at Eastern headquarters, where the Arabic case and the submarine policy generally, undoubtedly have been the subjects of consideration

No word has reached Berlin concerning the conference and no developments of any sort have occurred in the case here since the Chancellor's declaration of policy, given in a statement to the Associated Press last Wednesday Admiral von Mueller, chief of the Private Marine Cabinet and the Emperor's direct personal adviser on naval affairs, also is with the Emperor The Admiral's influence, it is known, is thrown with that of the German Chancellor and Foreign Minister von Jagow, against complications with the United States, and so, the opinion is held here, there is no reason to change the hopeful view of the situation expressed after the Chancellor's statement.

The exact wording of instructions issued to naval commanders has not been divulged, and higher officials when questioned avoid an answer, but it is stated that they certainly include the direction to attack no passenger ships without adequate warning. Whether this applies to freighters cannot be learned, but the technical difficulties in distinguishing a freighter from a passenger ship through a periscope would in any case cause the same effect. The American government is now ostensibly in possession of the same declaration of policy as contained in Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg's statement and, apparently, with the same limitations, it having been conveyed by Foreign Minister von Jagow to James W. Gerard, the American Ambassador, at a conference on Wednesday.

No report on the sinking of the Arabic has yet been received, none of the submarines which might possibly have been involved having returned to port. The Admiralty says that the report may come any day and may possibly be delayed for another fortnight. At least that interval must elapse before the last of the submarines operating to the south of Ireland returns.

GOING TO HOPFIELDS

Island Indians Make Change of Occupation for Season—Mr. O'Connell's New Salmon Theory

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 28.—Mr. Thomas O'Connell was in the city yesterday morning completing certain arrangements for the shifting of the Indians from Steveston and other points by way of New Westminster to Agassiz. Mr. O'Connell says that he is exceedingly pleased with the way in which his wards have acted this season at the fishing points. Cases of intoxication have been very rare. The canneries this year also made exceptionally good arrangements for the comfortable living of the Indians, especially as regards a good supply of fresh drinking water which meant a great deal to the children. The sanitary conditions were also much improved and this may have had something to do with the better conduct generally of the Indians. Mr. O'Connell will take a party of 1,800 Indians from Steveston on Sunday. Of these 600 are going to Agassiz and 1,200 to Sardis and Chilliwack.

A few of the Indians, following an old custom, will go to the hopfields on the American side. These Indians are from the west coast of Vancouver Island, and, Saanich, Cowichan, Chemainus, Kuper Island, Campbell River, Nanaimo and Cape Mudge. Officer O'Connell, who has watched the fishing on the Fraser for many years, has a new theory to account for the small catches on parts of the Fraser. He blames what he calls the "putt-putt" boats for it. He claims that the noise of these gasoline propelled vessels causes the fish to swim low. He says that he has positive knowledge of a case where a school of fish passed below three nets and came nearer the surface when there were no more of the noise-making vessels above them.

FEARS CAPTURE BY SUBMARINE

Maharajah of Kapurthala Left New York on Aug. 21—Is One of Wealthiest Ruling Princes of India.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Somewhere in the dangerous waters that wash the British Isles, the steamship Rotterdam is nearing the port of Falmouth tonight with an Indian prince aboard whose chief apprehension is that he may be captured by the Germans and held for ransom. He is Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, Maharajah of Kapurthala, whose rich principality lies in the Punjab, and who is reckoned one of the wealthiest and most powerful of Indian rulers; and he sailed secretly from this port on August 21 on his way back to his kingdom after a two months' tour of the United States and Canada.

With the Maharajah are his queen, the Maharanee, a Spanish beauty whom he met in Madrid five years ago, his secretary, M. Roy, a considerable retinue of servants, and an American girl, Miss Maggie Cullen, to whom the Maharanee took a liking while in the west.

The friends of the couple are very much afraid that German submarine commanders might hear of the Maharajah's departure from New York if the news were published, and knowing of his great wealth might lie in wait for the ship, taking him off and keeping him for ransom. So it was arranged he should leave the United States secretly and take the steamship Rotterdam for Falmouth. To make certain that no one, save a few close friends and officials, should know of his plans, the Maharajah and his party boarded the steamer two days before she was due to sail, and remained aboard in seclusion.

Through the agency of the British consulate here, it was reported that arrangements have been made for a British cruiser to meet the Rotterdam off Falmouth and convoy her through the submarine fields of operation to port.

A special train will take him to London from Falmouth, and at the British capital a special guard of his own Indian troops will be assigned to him as an escort. From London, in course of time, the party will proceed leisurely back to India.

The Maharajah and his party reached this port on a visit to the United States on May 3 last. They have visited the chief American cities, including San Francisco, where they spent some time at the Panama-Pacific Exposition and in Canada.

DEMAND POLICY OF ANNEXATION

Industrial Organizations in Fatherland Insist That Occupied Territory Should Become Part of Germany.

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 28.—"An epitome of madness." That is what Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg is reported to have exclaimed when the memorial reached him from the six most powerful, influential and centralized of the great economic organizations in Germany, demanding a general policy of annexation of conquered provinces as a basis of peace.

This memorial sent to the Chancellor and the Government includes the demand that there be no premature peace, no easy-going peace, no peace that does not involve the full political exploitation of the final military successes, that the prize of victory be commensurate with the sacrifices, the blood of hundreds of thousands and the colonial empire.

That Belgium be annexed in all but in name; that its legislation in respect to military, customs, coinage, finance, post office, railways and waterways be Germanized; that all big economic enterprises be placed under German direction; that control of the Belgian seaports be retained; that the French coast as far as the Somme be annexed as an outlet to the Atlantic and a strategic necessity against attack from Britain; that the Briey ore region and the coal regions of the departments du Nord and Pas de Calais be annexed and that Verdun, Belfort and the western slope of the Vosges be added to Germany for strategic reasons, are some of the other demands.

It also is stated that the safety of East Prussia from Russia demands the annexation of the adjacent Russian territory and that coal is one effective means of political influence.

"An epitome of madness," the Chancellor is said to have characterized the sweeping demands of this memorial, to which the Delzrueck-Dernburg-Wolff memorial, cabled yesterday, is a protest and counter memorial to the Government.

The correspondent gives the Chancellor's alleged exclamation for what it may be worth in throwing light upon the trend of thought in certain circles in Germany opposed by others.

FLOODS IN ARKANSAS

Break in White River Causes Damage to Large Area of Farm Land

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 28.—A new break today in the White River levee, this time ten miles above Des Arc, flooded another large area of farm land, but ample warning enabled the inhabitants to reach places of safety with most of their personal effects. Except for this break, the flood situation improved materially.

The break caused the river to fall slightly at Des Arc, and its effect was expected to be felt tomorrow up stream, where the river continued to rise today. Newport has begun the task of restoration, where the flood brought ruin, and refugees have been supplied with abundant food. However, along the lower White River, the number of refugees continues to grow, and more than 500 persons were quartered tonight in camps at Georgetown, Devil's Bluff, Augusta and Clarendon.

There has been no confirmation of the loss of life.

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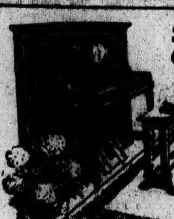

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Strategy of Grand Duke Nicholas Aims at Taking Invading Armies as Far as Possible From Base.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 28.—The general plan now being developed by the Germans appears to be to secure the right flank of their main advance by reaching and resting on the vast tract of impassable marshes stretching from Brest-Litovsk almost to Smolensk and Kiev. This object the Germans are now clearly attaining, and therefore they are beginning to detach reinforcements for the accomplishment of the other objective of securing the left flank. This they evidently propose to rest on the Dvina if further efforts to secure the Baltic coast position fail.

These two immediate objects secured, the Germans will proceed further, but in what direction exactly must depend on various events as yet imperfectly indicated.

Private advices report that extreme exhaustion prevails in the German ranks, which is very probable, seeing that the Germans have been attacking incessantly for over three months and have marched over hundreds of miles of railless country with bad and insufficient roads. To the actual physical exhaustion of perpetual marching and fighting must, therefore, be added weakness due to irregularity of food supply. Not even the scientific skill and marvellous organization of the Germans can turn the roads of Western Russia into efficient carrying media for the supply of both ammunition and food. The Russians have left nothing eatable, or in any other way profitable to the enemy, behind them. Even the growing grass has been destroyed by the device of strewing hay and unthreshed corn upon the fields and applying fire.

Over such an abomination of desolation as the Russians are purposely leaving everywhere behind them as they retire, even the German discipline will hardly be able to drive their troops much further.

Another report says: Two-thirds of the German forces pressing on the line of Bielstock-Vladava are endeavoring to envelop from the flank and pierce the Russian centre or compel the Russians to accept a decisive battle. As long as the artillery of the Germans predominates largely the Russians will refuse battle under such conditions. Yet there is no haste in their retreat. They are holding on stubbornly and gaining time. Experts of the general staff explain the Russian retreat as being due to the desire to harrass and exhaust the enemy, on the long, bad route lengthening and impeding his communications, on the guarding of which alone the Germans are compelled to use great forces. The transport of shells requires over fifty trains a day, with redistribution to the fighting columns. Their ammunition constitutes their heavy cargo, but their two thousand heavy guns also represent considerable weight and further transport difficulties. Even admitting that the Germans succeed in finding plenty of food for the men and forage for the horses en route, the same cannot be said regarding food for their guns, which they must bring from afar. But their communications are particularly "sensitive," compelling them to have a dense screen of troops on their secondary sectors, where they know from experience the danger of Russian cavalry raids against their transports.

RIVER IS HIGHWAY

Decision of Mr. Justice Clement in Regard to Navigation Rights on Upper Fraser

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 28.—That the upper Fraser River is a common and public highway, the free use of which by the public cannot be taken away, is the law laid down by Mr. Justice Clement in a lengthy review, giving his reasons for judgment in the recent suit of the Fort George Lumber Company against the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company. His Lordship rejects the contention of the railway company that there exists no right of navigation on non-tidal waters of the upper Fraser.

Reviewing the English decisions the judge finds that there is a strong current of authority in Canadian cases that the rule of English common law denying the existence of a right of public navigation in non-tidal waters, is not the law of Canada, even in those Provinces which have adopted the common law of England as the basis of their jurisprudence.

"I hold," he says in his final conclusions, "that the Fraser River in its upper waters is a common and public highway, taking judicial notice of the fact that, apart from recent and unchallenged commercial uses of steamboats and for the floating of logs, it had been from the earliest days of the colony a well known highway for the traders of the Hudson's Bay Company and for early explorers.

"The crown's invitation to all and sundry (in the proclamation following the Treaty of Paris in 1763) to resort to the British colonies in North America, I think, that without which the bread offered would have proved a stone, namely, the free use of the waterways as the only available highways for exploration and settlement; and, after settlement, for travel and transportation. And the conduct of the early governors was uniformly along the same line of invitation to 'come up and possess the land.'"

WARSAW'S GOVERNMENT

Loan Is to Be Raised by New Municipal Authorities—Want Polish Language Taught

WARSAW, Aug. 28.—The committee of citizens which is discharging the functions of civic government here has voted to raise a loan of five million roubles ($2,500,000).

The committee on schools has applied to the German civil governor for permission to obtain from Cracow, Galicia, school books published in the Polish language for use in the schools here.

Leaves for South Africa

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Mr. H. R. McMillan, who is making a world tour in the interests of Canadian timber resources on Sir George Foster's behalf, is leaving for South Africa. He reports pleasing success in the United Kingdom. He will proceed to India, Japan and Australasia.

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THE C. N. PACIFIC

The statement from Sir William Mackenzie, which appears in another column, that the laying of steel from Patricia Bay to the city will be proceeded with immediately, that a ferry connection will be forthwith installed, and that the line to Victoria will be ready for operation soon after the Mainland section, will be received with much satisfaction by the people of this city. While the citizens have felt somewhat discouraged because of the delay in completing the Patricia Bay section, they have realized that it would be only of nominal value to them until the Mainland division was ready for operation.

In view of the very serious condition of the money market, the Canadian Northern management has been very fortunate in being able to make such financial arrangements as will enable it to have their transcontinental line in operation as far as Victoria during the Autumn. At the present writing we are not advised as to any further plans of the company.

To get such a line of railway as the Canadian Northern Pacific in readiness for a share of this year's business has been an achievement of exceptional difficulty owing to monetary conditions, and Sir William Mackenzie and his associates are greatly to be congratulated upon it. We shall defer any further observations in regard to the importance of this enterprise and its future until the line has been made ready for traffic.

THE WAR

This is the 394th day of the war.

So far as the dispatchess disclose anything, yesterday was not specially eventful in any theatre of the war. From the West there came a report of a renewed bombardment of Zeebrugge by the Allies from the sea and it is said a good deal of damage was done. A German aerial raid on Paris was frustrated and one of the enemy aircraft was destroyed. The Western Allies seem to have very clearly established their supremacy in the air. At several points there was violent cannonading, but no results were reported.

No new developments were sent out from the Eastern front. Apparently the Russian army has escaped the Austro-German attempt to envelop it and is rapidly being reinforced and supplied with munitions.

There was no news at all from the Dardanelles and not the least information has been given out as to the whereabouts of the Italian force, which sailed about a week ago. The statement is made that this force consisted of five army corps, which would mean 200,000 men. We suggest that the play may be to debark this force at the head of the Gulf of Saros with the view of advancing directly upon Constantinople. This would greatly facilitate the operations of the Allies on the Gallipoli Peninsula and at the Dardanelles. It may be remembered that at a very early stage in the operations against Turkey, a British force was said to have been landed at the head of the gulf and to be attempting to move southward. Nothing has been heard of such a force for several months. Possibly the report was an error; but be this as it may, an advance upon the Turkish capital from the head of the gulf is quite feasible.

Serbia is being spoken of once more in the news of the day, and the statement is made that her army is stronger than ever. It will be remembered that our dispatches yesterday said the same thing of the Belgian army.

THE IMPOSSIBLE HAS HAPPENED

In the above caption we have translated an expression used by the teachers of France in a manifesto they have issued to the world in reply to one from the teachers of Germany, in which it is alleged that the atrocities laid to the charge of Germany could not have happened, because they would be contrary to the German standard of education. In answer the French teachers say in substance:

It seemed, indeed, impossible that when a Great Power had guaranteed the neutrality of a smaller nation, she would deliberately violate it. Yet all the world knows that Germany broke her solemn promise to protect Belgium, a wrong which the Chancellor publicly avowed and for which he promised reparation.

It seemed, indeed, impossible that a great nation that enjoins upon its own people the obligation to resist invaders by every means in their power, and had set its name to an international agreement recognizing the right of the people of all countries to do the same, should have visited Belgium with destruction and her people with torture, outrage and death because they defended their land. Yet this happened, and proof that it happened is open to the eyes of all mankind.

We quote the following in the words of the manifesto: "Impossible, indeed, it seemed to be—last, but not least—that one of the Great Powers, having duly signed the Hague Conventions, should assume the right to infringe them—to bombard non-fortified cities—to blow up merchantmen and their crews—to shell hospitals and ambulances—and systematically revive practices of war which had been abandoned for centuries, such as sacking cities, looting public and private property, setting fire by hand, with lavish expenditure of petroleum and chemicals, then prohibiting under pain of death the extinguishing of the fires thus lighted—making use of prisoners to serve as living shields for the invaders, taking non-combatants into captivity en masse, as used to be done in bygone times; and, moreover, since we needs must speak of it, the shameless practice of soldiers and officers laying hands, in private houses, country seats, and castles, on every object they find to their taste, and deliberately heaping up all this booty for the private use of their own families."

Yet all these things have happened in this war to Belgium and France at the hands of the Germans, as is proved by the testimony of hundreds and hundreds of witnesses, as is testified by the ruins and desolation which cannot be hidden, and by graves, which when opened in the presence of German officials, furnished incontrovertible evidence of German murders.

It seemed impossible that the naval authorities of a country of sufficient advancement from savagery to have naval authorities, could have ordered such frightful atrocities as the sinking of the Lusitania, the Falaba and the Arabic. Yet these ships were sunk, and hundreds of innocent lives were destroyed without warning by orders of the German naval authorities. This act was approved by the German Government and applauded by the German people.

THE B. C. ELECTRIC

We regret to learn that the open question between the B. C. Electric and its street car employees is apparently no nearer a settlement than it was a day or two ago. The company has not made up its mind to accept the award, and the men are still hesitating about announcing their readiness to do so.

We think this is to be regretted, for it is very much against the public interest that there should be anything in the nature of a lock-out or a strike. In the present state of the public mind it will not be a wise thing for either the company or its employees to run counter to public opinion. The public will accept the decision of Mr. Justice Macdonald as being a reasonable one, and both parties to the dispute will be well advised if they take the same view of the case.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

It appears that the members of the Over-Seas Club do not like the name "Colonial." The Over-Seas Daily Mail has been inviting suggestions for a new name, and in response it has received some that are appalling, if seriously meant. Here is the list:

Panbritish	Britonial
Emperian	Anglian
Outbriten	Britannic
Imperial	Awayborn
Dominion	Imperialist
Kithkin	Macbriton

Why cannot these people let things alone? What sort of blessed nonsense is it that gets into their heads from time to time and starts them off on quests like these?

That part of the British Empire that lies outside of the United Kingdom never was, as a whole, properly described as "Colonial," although English-speaking Canadians never took exception to the title. The British North American Provinces were not founded by colonies from the United Kingdom. Quebec was founded by people from France and became British by conquest. Indeed, in a general way this is true of all Eastern Canada. The English settlers of that part of the Dominion were not colonists from the United Kingdom in the first place. They were Loyalists from what is now the United States. But the descendants of these latter never did object, and do not now object, to being referred to as Colonials. Some of them now think they ought to be called British, because they consider that to be a wider term. Perhaps it is; perhaps it is not. By what process of reasoning does any intelligent person reach the conclusion that any one else would tolerate being called Kithkin, or Macbriton, or Awayborn? The amazing part of the business is that these fussy people think they are doing Imperial work by promulgating their arrant nonsense.

THE ACCOMPANIMENT

What is the relation of the accompaniment to the song? Undoubtedly the earliest singers sang without accompaniment, and it is not certain what the first method of accompanying was, although it may have been the clapping of the hands or perhaps the striking together of solid things, such as stones or pieces of wood, so as to emphasize the rhythm of the melody. The first attempt to combine harmony with melody was perhaps the introduction of the harp. The timbrel was a very ancient instrument. It was a species of drum, and may have been intended as an improvement upon hand-clapping. The cymbal was a variation of the same idea. These instruments produced sounds having no musical relation to the voice, which they emphasised without harmonising with it. The harp, which permitted the emission of various tones in harmony, was a long step in the evolution of music. The singer then had something wherewith to support and supplement his voice. He, who first sang a note and at the same time evoked from his harp complementary tones, opened a vista of boundless possibilities. He gave the imagination a new stimulus. Men began to think of Heaven as a place where music reigned. Perfect and supplemental harmony between voice and instrument appeals to the imagination as nothing else does or can.

The function of the accompaniment seems two-fold: (a) To support the voice and mark the time, and (b) to supplement the voice. In nearly all the popular songs of the Victorian era the accompaniment was employed for the first of these purposes only. Take what was perhaps the most popular of them all, "Annie Laurie." As originally and even now ordinarily written the accompaniment of this song is simply a marking of the time with chords that harmonise with the voice; but an accompaniment can be played to this simple composition that intensifies its appeal. The well-known song, "Killarney," is an example of the first and simple function of the accompaniment; so also are "Tipperary" and most of the popular songs of today. The composers of the oratorios went to the other extreme. It is hardly correct to call the instrumental parts of oratorios accompaniments. The aim of their composers seems to have been to produce every possible musical combination, and in them voice is not always the dominant factor. Hence they may be regarded as the highest type of musical composition. In opera the voice is and must be dominant, and the instrumental features both support and supplement it. A new class of settings for songs is now being written. They are incomplete without the accompaniment, whereas such popular songs as those mentioned above do not require an accompaniment at all, if a singer really knows them. In the newer type of song, no matter how beautifully it is sung, there is something lacking without the accompaniment. A truly musical ear is unsatisfied with the voice alone in such compositions.

Vocal and instrumental music, therefore, may stand in one of three relations to each other, and perhaps to a certain extent in all three. The instrumental may simply be a support to the vocal; or it may supplement it; or, as in the case of oratorios, they may work in combination to produce a perfect but elaborate result.

TO WHOM CREDIT IS DUE

Readers will recall how during the early days of the war a storm of indignation arose because Prince Louis of Battenberg was First Sea Lord of the Admiralty? Rumors were afloat that he was imprisoned in the Tower of London, and many nervous people were unable to sleep o'nights because something was not done to prevent him from betraying the British cause. The vindication of the Prince is forthcoming at last. In his letter accepting the resignation of the Prince, Mr. Churchill gave him credit for "the first step to secure the concentration of the fleet." This "first step" was an order issued on July 26, during the temporary absence from the Admiralty of Mr. Churchill, for the fleet to "stand fast." The complete mobilization on August 4 was declared by the Admiralty to be due to "the measures taken." The "measures" referred to consisted of the Prince's order to "stand fast" instead of demobilizing.

One of the great obstacles to social progress is to be found in the fact that too often when the Law steps in Reform steps out. The teacher is too prone to surrender to the policeman.

Replying to a correspondent, we think the best authorities incline to the pronunciation of the name of the peninsula at the Dardanelles as Gal-lee-po-lee, with the accent on the second syllable. One authority makes the first "i" short as in "it," and the final "i" long as in "night."

A protest has been raised by some of the most prominent educationists in Bavaria against the propagation of the Gospel of Hate in the schools. Has the conscience of the nation been aroused, or have these people seen the handwriting on the wall and felt the need of repenting before it is too late?

Replying to a correspondent, we have to say that several of the persons, whose names appear on the stationery of the British-American Relief Association of Seattle are known to us as men of standing and high respectability, and we are confident that they would not be associated with anything of a questionable nature.

Notices appearing in our "Coming Events" column are really free advertisements. We cannot undertake that they will appear on certain specified future dates. Most papers make a charge for such notices, and it is not unreasonable, therefore, for us to ask those who take advantage of the opportunity of free publicity to send in their notices on the days they wish them to appear. It is also not unreasonable to ask them to send them in writing whenever possible. It is not always convenient, but often is exceedingly inconvenient, to take such notices over the telephone, and there is always also a chance of error. Persons availing themselves of this gratuitous publicity ought, we think, to take a little trouble about what is really their own business. There are certain other matters for publication that never should be sent in over the telephone, such as those relating to births, deaths and marriages. Errors in these may be very serious in their results. While the staff of The Colonist aim at assisting the public in every way in matters of publicity, they think it not unreasonable to ask that those persons who are chiefly concerned in notices, should do what is in their power to avoid needless trouble and errors.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letters to the Editor will be printed except over the proper signature of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Game Regulations

Sir,—In reference to your editorial in The Colonist of August 28 regarding the game regulations, I would like to make a few remarks which, I am sure, will find favor with the majority of sportsmen in Victoria.

The game laws every year have been the source of complaint in some way or another, and I think in most cases the complaints are well founded. This year they are worse than ever, in the first place for bringing in the season for deer fifteen days before birds. This is putting temptation in the path of the person who is hunting deer, as he is bound to flush birds in his travels, and everyone knows how hard it is to refrain from shooting, and I know a good many birds are killed and never brought in, to say nothing of those that are. It gives the man who has no regard for the laws, provided he does not get caught, the excuse to be in the woods with a gun before it is legal to kill feathered game.

Another point which seems most absurd and looks very much as if it had been overlooked by the person or persons responsible, and since it has been brought to their notice, send word that it is to be enforced, is that no firearm is to be carried in, on or about a motor car before September 15. If this did not effect a good many of us it would be laughable, as to me, at least, there is no apparent reason why a man should be allowed to carry a gun on a train or rig, and the person who wishes to get to his particular hunting ground, and who has the means or chance to go there in a vehicle propelled by gasoline should be barred. It also means that it is impossible for anyone wishing to start on the 14th, so as to be on the ground on the opening day, to do so. Anyone with a grain of sense can see how absurd this is.

The point which has given rise to the mos dissatisfaction is the sale of buck deer. In your editorial you say that nothing should be put in the way of the man who wishes to kill deer for food, and also as a means of bringing him in a little ready money. About the only person this will help are Indians and certain sportsmen who have hunted deer for years and can get venison of some sort every time they go out. There is a good deal of expense connected with shooting of any sort, and I venture to say that the novice who thinks he can make any money at this business is doomed to disappointment. The only way it will bring any pecuniary gain to anyone is for him to overstep the game limit, and it means that this will be done more than is usual every year.

There are petitions being circulated to the effect that the game laws be adjusted, or at least made reasonable for next season, and I am sure that every person who wishes the preservation of game for sport will make it his business to sign one of them at least.

M. A. KENT.

228 Douglas Street, Victoria B. C., August 28, 1915.

54TH BATTALION TO GO AS UNIT

VERNON, B. C., Aug. 28.—In connection with the Ottawa report that the 54th Battalion will be ordered overseas as a full battalion, it is said here that that battalion will first send its draft, already selected and equipped. The 54th sent a draft of 255 officers and men forward in July.

More recruits for the 54th are coming in continually.

The report from Ottawa announces that the 54th will be trained in England as a unit and will be called on as required for service at the front. This will leave in Vernon camp the 47th and 62nd Battalions, the 11th C.M.R. and B Sections, Field Ambulance Corps.

The 54th Battalion will be in command of Lieut.-Col. A. H. G. Kemball, who has been serving as major under Lieut.-Col. Davis. Lieut.-Col Kemball, who has lately been engaged in fruit ranching near Kaslo, served in the Indian army, in which he held the rank of colonel. He is the son of the late Major-General Shaw Kemball. He was born in 1861, and was educated at Wellington College. He entered the army in 1880, Captain I. S. C. in 1891, Major, Indian army, 1897; Lieut.-Col., 1905; Colonel, 1907; D. A. A. G. Malakand Field Force, 1897; D. A. G. M. G. Tirah Force, 1897-'98; served Hazara expedition, 1898 (medal with clasp); Isazai, 1892; N. W. Frontier, 1897-98 (dispatches, medal with clasp).

SHOT FROM AMBUSH

Attempt Made Yesterday to Kill Sooke Rancher—Second Within a Week

Mr. J. Campbell, an aged rancher of the Sooke district, was shot at and severely wounded late yesterday afternoon, as he was on his way to the Sooke post office for his mail. Some one, as he drove along at a spot where the bushes lined both sides of the road, fired twice at him, a shot gun being used. The first charge struck Mr. Campbell in the right side, the shot entering his right arm, thigh and side. The second shot missed him, but shattered the dash-board of the buggy in which he was driving, and struck the horse, which bolted, but ultimately was brought under control by Mr. Campbell, who, despite his injuries, showed remarkable grit.

Yesterday's attempt was the second within a week to be made upon Mr. Campbell's life. Several days ago he was shot at by someone hidden in the bush, but he escaped on that occasion without injury. He believed that it was an accident, and that someone out hunting had fired at a bird. But when the first shot was fired yesterday Mr. Campbell was convinced that an attempt was being made upon his life. He had barely turned in his seat and shouted, "You've got me this time," when the second shot was fired.

Mr. Campbell got to Sooke post office, where his wounds were bandaged, and where he remained for some hours before a conveyance was secured to bring him into the city. He arrived this morning at 1:30 o'clock, and his injuries were attended to at St. Joseph's Hospital. The injuries of themselves were not serious, but Mr. Campbell's advanced age and the loss of blood render his case a serious one.

As soon as the news of the shooting was received here, Provincial Constable Robert Owens went to Sooke on a search for Mr. Campbell's assailant. No facts that would account for the attempt made upon the latter's life could be learned this morning.

Weiler's Daily Store News

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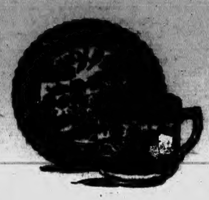

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Covered Muffins, each **$1.35**
Butter Dishes, with stands, ea. **$1.13**
Egg Cups, per dozen **$1.13**
Covered Sugars, each .... **90¢**
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Afternoon Sugars and Creams, pr. .... **45¢**

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MISS ARNOLDI WRITES

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The Board of Trade received a communication yesterday from Miss Joan L. Arnoldi, in which she stated that the Canadian Field Comforts Commission, which she represents, would render assistance, if necessary, in the distribution of parcels to troops at the front. Her letter follows:

"If at any time your board should wish to forward goods to the soldiers in the field, the Canadian Field Comforts Commission, which is the agency for the distribution of comforts and extra supplies to our soldiers, would be very pleased to do anything they can for you in the matter. The depot is at the camp at Shorncliffe, and has all the facilities of military organization to forward them to the front."

The letter further gives information in regard to the dispatch of parcels to troops. It says that they can be addressed to the Canadian Field Comforts Commission, Moore Barracks, Shorncliffe, England. The addresses of the forwarding depots at Montreal for Summer delivery and at Quebec for Winter delivery are obtainable by application at the Board of Trade.

COL. LECKIE HONORED

Unofficially Reported That Popular Vancouver Officer Will Command Brigade

Although his new appointment has not yet been gazetted, it is unofficially reported in military circles that Lieut.-Col. R. G. Edwards Leckie, commander of the 16th Battalion, first Canadian expeditionary force, and the organizer and chief officer of the 72nd Seaforth Highland Regiment of Vancouver, has been elevated to the rank of brigadier-general for his gallant conduct in the field and efficient work at the front. He will take command, it is stated, of the 3rd Brigade, of which the 16th Canadian-Scottish Battalion is a unit.

Lieut.-Col. Hulme Commands

In the absence of the commandant of the Vernon Camp, Lieut.-Col. J. Duff Stuart, the command has been taken over by Lieut.-Col. J. H. D. Hulme, of the 62nd Battalion. Col. Stuart is visiting the Coast for a few days.

BATTALIONS WILL BE SENT TO FRONT

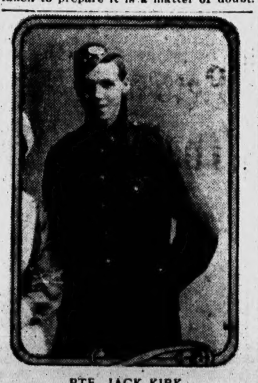
Officers of 54th Receive Instructions to Hold Themselves in Readiness—News Inspires Enthusiasm.

No announcement more calculated to gratify the military fraternity of District No. 11, which comprises British Columbia and the Yukon, could have been made than that the Department of Militia has decided to send battalions to the front. That the conclusion had been reached to abandon, at least to an extent, the system of taking reinforcement drafts from different overseas units from time to time, was indicated yesterday when it was made known that the 54th Battalion, now commanded by Major Kemball, who succeeded Lieut.-Col. W. M. Davis on his being called East to organize No. 2 Corps of Pioneers, was to be moved in the near future. This force already has provided two detachments for overseas service, and the officers and men remaining were beginning to feel that their chance of "doing their bit" was likely to be long deferred.

Not only has the news inspired the 54th officers, N. C. O.'s and men with new enthusiasm but it has done the same for the 47th, commanded by Lieut.-Col. W. N. Winsby, of this city; the 62nd, commanded by Lieut.-Col. Hulme, and with which are Capt. W. H. Langley and a draft of Victoria volunteers; the 11th C. M. R., commanded by Lieut.-Col. Kilpatrick, and No. 1 Field Ambulance Depot, all of which are at the Vernon Camp, and the strength of each of which has been depleted by overseas drafts at intervals. The change has had even a wider effect. Its influence has been felt in Victoria and in Vancouver.

Lieut.-Col. Rous Cullen, commanding the 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers, his officers and men believe that the news may be accepted as a happy augury with respect to the possibility of their receiving the concession for which they have been striving for months, namely, that of being authorized to proceed to Shorncliffe and thence to the firing line as a regiment. Col. Cullen and his officers, having obtained the support of many citizens anxious to see Victoria represented at the front by a distinct corps, have been endeavoring to persuade the department to extend the privilege to them. They have received encouragement, but nothing definite has been learned up to date. Now, with battalions being moved intact; with an establishment provided with a most complete equipment through the generosity of Victorians, and with everything in readiness to enroll the necessary men at the word, it is hoped that the period of waiting and hoping is almost at an end.

Another force which will be affected is the 72nd Regiment, Seaforth Highlanders, of Vancouver. It was given permission to recruit to the strength of an overseas battalion, with a view to going forward, some months ago. From information available here the recruits necessary to bring the corps to its full complement are signed on and final instructions are being awaited. A draft was requested from this unit a few weeks ago, but whether steps have been taken to prepare it is a matter of doubt.



PTE. JACK KIRK
Who left Victoria with the 50th Gordon Highlanders and was wounded by shrapnel on May 19. At present he is in the Shorncliffe Hospital. A small piece of shell was extracted from his head and there are two bits yet to be removed from one of his knees. He says the hospital is a pretty place, overlooking the sea.

—Photo by Skene Lowe.
SGT. H. FLETCHER CLELAND
Of the 7th Battalion, Canadian Expeditionary Force, who returned on Friday, having been invalided home after receiving several wounds from a high explosive shell on the firing line. He has lost the use, temporarily, of his right arm. He speaks in the highest terms of the Red Cross organization and of the care the Canadian authorities are taking of their injured soldiers.

BATTALION WILL TRAIN AT WILLOWS

"Western Scots" to Move Into Camp Next Wednesday—Recruits Coming From Outside—Equipment Available.

The Willows Camp will be the headquarters of the 67th Battalion, "Western Scots," Lt.-Col. Lorne Ross commanding, from next Wednesday. It was stated yesterday that the corps would move to the local barracks on that date to commence training for overseas service. Whether the unit will remain throughout the Winter will not be decided until the Willows Barracks are given a trial. If it is found that they are not satisfactory for the carrying out of the manaeuvres and exercises which the O. C. has in mind as best adapted to prepare the men for work at the front, a change will be made. The idea of going to Sidney, where what is described as an ideal camping site has been selected, has not been abandoned according to those in charge, but in order to get started with the work it has been decided to go to the Willows.

When the move is made the corps will be 300 odd strong immediately, there being that many men on the roll of the 50th Regiment Gordon Highlanders, waiting to be taken into the overseas battalion. With 100 from Prince George, recruited during the past few weeks, and a number coming from Port Alberni with Lieutenant Richard J. Burde, the mayor of that city, the total will be materially swelled. The strength will be brought to 500 shortly, and it will not be many weeks before the battalion has a full complement.

Tomorrow an officer of the R. C. E., accompanied by members of Col. Ross's staff, will visit the camp for the purpose of laying out the new quarters. The men are to be given comfortable accommodation in one of the large buildings. Arrangements are to be made for a suitable mess room for the officers, noncommissioned officers and the men. Owing to the fact that the structures have been used for a similar purpose by the 48th Battalion not long ago it is not likely that much work will be necessary to put them into proper shape, those responsible have promised to complete everything in time to allow the "Western Scots" to move in by Wednesday.

The officers state, with some emphasis, that all the force will be properly equipped from the day their training commences. Not only will there be plenty of blankets but every individual will be given his complete military uniform from the heavy, but serviceable boot to the Glengarry hat. This arrangement will assist recruiting, as there has heretofore been considerable dissatisfaction among those newly enlisted because of the delay in getting their outfits.

WANT AVIATION SCHOOL LOCATED HERE

Victorians Will Hold Meeting With View to Inaugurating Courses for Military Purposes

With a view to laying the foundation for a Victoria Aero Club, a meeting of those interested will take place at the King Edward Hotel at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening. Mr. W. W. Gibson, both an aviator and a manufacturer of machines, has promised to be present. He has models and plans of different machines, which will be placed on exhibition. He also will deliver an address on the art.

The idea is to establish an organization sufficiently strong to enable the purchase of the necessary equipment for a local aviation school. It is felt that there are many sites on southern Vancouver Island which would be satisfactory in every respect, and that the general conditions in this district are favorable.

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THREE LOCAL NURSES LEAVING FOR FRONT

Misses Williams, Blackadder and Kirk, of Victoria, Volunteer and Are Accepted—Will Report at Ottawa.

Three more Victoria nurses have volunteered for service at the front and have been accepted. They are Miss C. Williams, Miss C. Blackadder and Miss May Kirk, the latter being a graduate of St. Joseph's Hospital, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kirk, of Victoria West. Miss Williams left for Ottawa on Friday, while the Misses Blackadder and Kirk will take this afternoon's boat for the Mainland en route to the Capital.

Their plans are not defined, all they know being that the authorities have instructed them to report at Ottawa before September 2. It is considered likely that they are to be given passage to the Old Country by an early vessel, and that they will be attached to one of the base hospitals either in France or England. Many friends were at the dock on Friday to see Miss Williams off and there is no doubt that Miss Blackadder and Miss Kirk will be given an equally hearty "send off" today, as they are well known, especially among the members of their profession, all of whom will wish them the utmost good luck and success.

With the nurses who went from Victoria with No. 3 General Hospital, and those who had left for England previously, this city has contributed over 30 qualified nurses to the work of the Red Cross in connection with the British Expeditionary Force.

VOLUNTEER RESERVE

Regimental orders, Victoria Volunteer Reserve, by Capt. D. B. McConnan, R.O. commanding. Victoria, B.C., August 28, 1915.

1. Promotions, No. 2 Platoon. To be platoon sergeant, Sgt. S. Colgate, vice Cookaley, promoted. To be sergeants, Cpls. H. Norman and D. McLeod. To be Corporal, Pte. A. J. Cantwell.

W. CROW, Capt.,
Acting Adjutant.

NATIONAL RESERVE

National Reserve of Canada, No. 1 Company, Victoria, B. C., Lieut.-Col. Gregory commanding. Company and recruits drill at the Drill Hall, on Wednesday, at 8 p.m. By order, Geo. Grimmson, Capt.

I do not believe that pacifism is a patriotic duty.—Lord Robert Cecil.

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Col. A. T. Ogilvie, D. O. C., left for Vancouver yesterday morning. He will spend several days on the Mainland on business.

Captain Hall in Vernon

Having been appointed to the command of the local depot of the Canadian Medical Corps, vice Lieut.-Col. R. C. Hart, now in command of No. 5 General Hospital, Capt. G. A. R. Hall, of this city, is visiting the British Columbia concentration camp at Vernon, B. C. He will return this week.

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Lieut.-Col. W. M. Davis, who was formerly in command of the 54th Overseas Battalion at Vernon, has left for the East to take charge of the organization of a Corps of Pioneers.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Charge Withdrawn—In the police court yesterday Albert Doane, who was accused of having a forged bank note in his possession, was formally dismissed. It was necessary to obtain the attorney-general's consent to the withdrawal of the charge.

Remanded Case—Accused of assaulting George Addison, with intent to do bodily harm, James Brennan appeared before the police magistrate yesterday and was remanded to Tuesday morning. The injured man's evidence will be taken at the hospital.

At Temple Building — The I.O.D.E. chapters in charge at the Temple Building during the present week will be: Monday, Agnes Deans Cameron; Tuesday, Camosun; Wednesday, Navy League; Thursday, Florence Nightingale; Friday, Lady Douglas; and Saturday, Gonzales.

Is Made Presentation — Mr. H. W. Eades, of the staff of the forest branch of the Provincial Government, who is leaving for Toronto, where he is to take a course at the school of aviation, was yesterday presented with a wrist watch, the gift of fellow members of the staff, amongst whom he is deservedly popular.

Youth Starts Blaze—Fire started by firecrackers set off by a youngster did damage to the amount of about $100 to premises at 1042 Yates Street yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The flames worked up the outside wall into the roof, but were quickly subdued by the firemen. Two grass fires on Richardson Street also called for attention at the hands of the fire department.

Visiting Friends' Minister — Mr. Joseph Elkinton, of Philadelphia, a prominent minister in the Society of Friends, arrived in the city yesterday, after a tour studying conditions with the mission stations in China and Japan. He is registered at the Empress. Mr. Elkinton will be present at the Quaker Meeting House, on Fern Street, by St. Margaret's School, at this morning's service.

Fugitive Pawned Watch—Beyond the fact that Harry McDonald, alias Heath, who escaped last Sunday from the Ladysmith lockup, was in Duncan on Thursday, and after disposing of his watch and chain disappeared again, no trace of the fugitive has been secured by the authorities. McDonald was evidently on his way to Victoria, but though a watch is being kept along the roads, he has so far eluded capture.

Belgian Relief Fund—The draw in a raffle, conducted by Mr. W. S. Terry, honorary secretary of the Belgian Relief Committee, took place at his store, Fort Street, last evening. The prize was a painting of the Gorge Bridge, showing the foaming rapids below. It was won by ticket No. 81, held by Mr. D. E. Campbell, of Linden Avenue. The sum of $25 was realized, and will be applied to the local fund.

Get Good Prices—Mr. F. T. Jackson, manager of the Okanagan United Growers, who is at present making a tour of the Coast cities, in the interests of that organization, states that the growers of the Okanagan Valley expect to get good prices for their fruit this year. All the packing houses in the valley are working to full capacity at present, and are shipping many cars of fruit daily. The Okanagan United Growers, Limited, which is the selling agency for the nine local fruit unions, will this year ship more than 1,200 cars of fruit, vegetables and grains.

Peace River Development—That the natural outlet for the wheat of the Peace River Country is the Pacific Coast, is the opinion of Mr. Edward Michener, M. P. P., of Red Deer, Alta., who is at present in the city, a guest at the Empress. He recently visited the Peace River country and was surprised at the excellence of the crops and the general progress towards development. He says that when connection is made by way of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, the grain produced in that section of Canada will certainly be shipped by this route, and via the Panama Canal to Europe.

Busy Knitters—The working members of Campbell's Patriotic Club were invited last week by the Misses Tolmie, of Cloverdale, to hold the weekly meeting in their beautiful grounds, which afforded an agreeable change from the usual meeting place. With liberal artificial lighting and the assistance of the moon, they were able to ply their needles to the usual hour of closing, after which the younger members indulged in games and all enjoyed a repast served by their hostesses. The club has sent many pairs of socks to the soldiers during the year of its existence, and has also been able to raise funds for supplies of cigarettes and tobacco.

For Patriotic Fund—Among the contributions received during the past week by the Patriotic Aid Society are the following: Proceeds of concert at Lampson Street School on August 20, per Mrs. R. H. Pooley and Capt. Craddock, $70.05; "An Irish Woman," $5; Employees Dixi Ross & Co., $36.50; Staff, Northern Crown Bank, $17.50; Employees Empress Hotel, $37.75; B.C. Dredging Fleet (Coast Division) War Fund: Dredge "Ajax" and tug "Point Ellice," $84; Dredge "Mudlark" and Tug "Point Hope," $75.00; Dredge "Victoria," $6.00; Lobnitz Rock Breaker No. 1, $38; Drilling Plant, $74.50; Diving Plant, $15.25; total, $292.75; Employees Producers' Rock & Gravel Co., $63; B.C. Agency Marine & Fisheries, $60.50; lighthouse keepers, Dept. Marine & Fisheries, $196; C.G.S. "Newington," $23.80; C.G.S. "Estevan," $62.90.

Lectures on Wireless—Mr. W. E. Gawthorne, of California, a wireless expert, delivered a very instructive and valuable lecture on the new system of wireless transmission being used in the United States, known as the "Poulsen singing arc," yesterday at the Columbian College of Wireless. Aided with blackboard and crayons, Mr. Gawthorne drew a diagram of the Poulsen apparatus, explaining the details of working and adjustment as he went along. He praised very highly the Marconi apparatus installed at the college, which contains many improvements. After the lecture was over he was tendered a very hearty farewell by Mr. W. B. Nevin and students of the college, when he left on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver, where he has business to attend to before sailing for Australia on the Makura next Wednesday.

SEVEN BANDS IN CAMP

Canadian Troops at Shorncliffe Are Well Supplied With Music Which Is Highly Appreciated

There are at present seven bands in the camp at Shorncliffe, and one of the most popular and efficient is that with Tobin's Tigers. Bandsman Henry W. W. Bell, of Vancouver, writing from that camp, in a letter to The Vancouver Province, says:

"The 6th Brigade at Dibgate Camp today has four brass bands, one pipe and two bugle combinations, so there is no lack of stirring music for parades, route marches and concerts.

"Bandmaster O'Donnell, of the 27th (Winnipeg) Battalion, for many years bandmaster of the band of the Hampshire Regiment, Imperial army, is brigade bandmaster, and he is ably seconded by our own leader, Bandmaster Dagger.

"Duties commence with the bands playing in turn around the camp daily at reveille (5:30 a.m.), and when the massed bands play at the first muster parade. Ample opportunity for practice is given, and in addition to playing at the various route marches, etc., performances are given at the different hospitals for sick and wounded in the district, each one getting two or more visits each week, and nowhere is the playing more appreciated than at these institutions. It might be mentioned that the Folkestone Amusement Committee specially features music by Canadian bands as one of the attractions of the place."

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Nellie Clarke, Menzies Street, returned to the city yesterday after a week's visit to Sol Duc Hot Springs.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Griffiths left for California on Friday. Dr. Griffiths will attend the Panama-Pacific Dental Congress.

Miss Humphrey returned to Victoria yesterday afternoon after a two months' holiday trip spent in the United States.

Miss Mima Hurst returned yesterday morning from California, where she has been spending several weeks' holiday.

Miss Della W. Spray, of San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. S. D. Berridge of Seattle, has been spending the past week in the city, guests at the Empress.

Miss Isobel Todd, daughter of F. Dundas Todd, of this city, left on Friday night's boat for Skagway, en route to Discovery, Atlin, to take up her duties of public school teacher there.

The Ivy Leaf Social Club held its weekly whist drive on Thursday night in the K. of P. Hall, when there was a large attendance. The following ladies and gentlemen were the prize takers: 1st lady, Miss Lancaster; 2nd, Mrs. Graham; 3rd, Mrs. Tunnicliffe. 1st gentleman, Mr. L. James; 2nd, Mr. Sill; 3rd, Mr. Timperley.

Archdeacon Lloyd, president of the Dominion Alliance, will arrive in the city this morning from Vancouver, and during his stay will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Mitchell, Gorge Road.

Mr. Harold G. Beall, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., left last night with Mrs. Beall for Vancouver, whence they will sail for India. Mr. Beall will proceed to Lahore, where he will be engaged in Y. M. C. A. work.

A pretty wedding was solemnized by the Rev. F. A. Chadwick at St. John's Church yesterday, the contracting parties being George Henry Price, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Price, and Isabell Eva Joseph Dauphine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dods. The bride was charmingly gowned in a dress of silk crepe lace and chiffon trimmed with pearls, and she wore a tulle veil and wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and sweet peas. Miss Gertrude Yarwood made a pretty bridesmaid dressed in white crepe de Chine trimmed with flame colored satin. The bridegroom was supported by his brother, Joseph Arthur Price. Miss Gladys McIntosh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. McIntosh, made a sweet little flower girl dressed in embroidered voile and carrying a basket of pink sweet peas. Master Reggie Hatcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Hatcher, was page boy, dressed in white sailor suit, carrying his hat filled with rose petals. Mrs. Dods, mother of the bride, was gowned in black satin and lace. The church had been prettily decorated by girl friends of the bride with a bell of ivy, white asters and dahlias. The bridal table, which was beautifully decorated with pink ribbon in true lover's knots and pink asters, was the work of Mrs. F. Hatcher. The mother of the bride held a reception at her home, 2201 Lydia Street, which was largely attended. The bride's travelling suit was of navy blue serge with black velvet hat, trimmed in pink with waist to match. The happy couple left by the 4:30 boat for the Sound cities, where the honeymoon will be spent. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Price will reside in their new home, Roseberry Avenue.

32 DAYS WITHOUT RAIN

Victoria's Fine Weather Record Unequalled in City Since 1901—Abnormal Heat Along Pacific

August, 1915, promises to be rainless. Thirty-two days have elapsed since the last precipitation in Victoria. While August is usually the driest month of the year, it is necessary to search the records as far back as 1901 to find a parallel to the present dry weather. In that instance there was no precipitation between July 25 and September 5, or a total of forty-three days. It is abnormally hot along the entire Pacific slope, temperatures ranging from 88 degrees at Fort George to 110 degrees in the Sacramento Valley, Cal., with Seattle, 86; Portland, 96, and San Francisco, 86.

The records at the Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, show a minimum of 56 degrees and a maximum of 90 degrees yesterday. The thermometer fell very gradually towards nightfall, recording 73 degrees at 5 p. m. and 72 degrees at 8 p. m. The remarkably warm night was probably due to the dense curtain of smoke which hinders radiation, and the absence of a sea breeze. Reports from the Prairie Provinces indicate ideal conditions for harvesting.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., August 28, 1915.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is comparatively high over this Province, and fine, abnormally warm weather is general throughout the Pacific slope, while along the Coast light variable winds prevail. Fine and moderately warm weather is general in the Prairie Provinces.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	56	90
Vancouver	52	75
Kamloops	56	96
Barkerville	45	74
Prince Rupert	50	70
Atlin	38	58
Dawson, Y. T.	40	70
Calgary, Alta.	50	76
Winnipeg, Man.	62	84
Portland, Ore.	62	96
San Francisco	64	86
Port Arthur	46	68
Penticton	52	94
Cranbrook	45	98
Fort George	38	96
New Hazelton	39	78

SATURDAY

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WILL ADVOCATE SEED CULTURE HERE

Development Association Enlists Support of Local Growers—Meeting to Discuss Industrial Project.

The development of the seed growing industry in and near Victoria is the purpose of a meeting which will be held next Wednesday afternoon at the rooms of the Victoria and Island Development Association, at which a number of the leading local producers of garden and floral products will be present. At the request of Commissioner Cuthbert these gentlemen have interested themselves in the matter, and as they are experienced in the work their advice and assistance will be valuable. It is hoped that once the movement is inaugurated it will result in the development of seed culture as one of the leading industries in the southern portion of Vancouver Island.

For some time past the Victoria and Island Development Association has been in correspondence with the Dominion Department of Agriculture with a view to inaugurating at the Experimental Farm at Agassiz a branch of the work devoted to seed culture. Local producers see no reason why similar work should not be started here.

The climatic conditions on Vancouver Island are claimed by those who have had experience to be exceptionally suitable for seed culture. It is the common experience of persons who are interested in the growing of flowers, garden products, etc., that the results secured from seeds bought from the leading seed producing firms of the world have been, by intelligent culture, greatly improved upon in this climate and the productive quality of the seeds secured from the plants grown here are superior to the original importation. This indicates there is a great opportunity in this section for growers who go in for seed culture to work up a large industry which would ultimately make Victoria a leading centre of production and distribution of seeds.

Free Advice

Those gentlemen who are inaugurating the movement have agreed to devote a portion of their holdings to seed culture, the understanding being that no two of them will grow the same variety. They will also, on request, give advice free to any person who may be interested in producing plants, flowers, vegetables, etc., and will inspect gardens, etc., with a view to instructing owners in the best methods.

The district around Victoria is declared to be ideal for the full development of seed, and the possibilities from the standpoint of profit are large, while there is a bounty paid by the Government on all seeds grown commercially. Hitherto there has been no organized effort in this section towards developing the industry, but growers believe that with scientific direction the project can be made into an industry of great importance and profit. Victoria grown seeds would become known everywhere, and a market secured for shipments in bulk. In California immense areas are given over wholly to the culture of various plants for seed purposes only, and immense shipments are made to all parts of the world. Victoria, with a climate equally suitable for the purpose, would undoubtedly soon become a centre for the seed industry.

NO DECISION MADE ON SCHOOL CHARGE

Conference Between Municipalities Adjourned to Future Date When City Will Submit Modified Proposal.

After a lengthly discussion yesterday morning, participated in by representatives of the city and municipalities of Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich, no definite decision was reached in respect to the charge to be levied by the city on those pupils from the outside municipalities in attendance at the city high school. Instead, the meeting was adjourned until September 13, when another meeting will be held. In the meantime a new schedule of charges will be prepared by the city.

Judging from the discussion yesterday, this new scale will be substantially less than that recently issued by the city, when a total charge of $123 per pupil was named. It was also decided that no appeal would be made to the council of public instruction until after the next meeting, and then only in the event of an unsatisfactory arrangement being reached. The representatives of Oak Bay and Esquimalt made it clear that their municipalities have definitely committed themselves to separate high schools for next year. Saanich will probably send its pupils to the city institution pending some settlement.

Alderman McNeill set forth the city's case, declaring that simply because the charge levied was in accordance with the statutory requirements there was no reason why it could not be altered.

Reeve McGregor's Stand

Considerable discussion revolved around the point raised by Reeve McGregor (Saanich) as to whether a high school was a public school within the meaning of the statute, Alderman McNeill maintaining that the courts had so decided. Reeve McGregor admitted the city could charge for "public" school children from outside districts, but the Act appeared to draw a distinction by providing for payment by parents for high school tuition. He also challenged the right of the city to charge for pupils the parents of whom were property owners in the city or where the students boarded in the city, and Reeve Saunders, while not questioning the right of the city to treat the high school as a public school, stated Esquimalt supported Reeve McGregor's contention as to students whose parents were property owners in the city.

Alderman McNeill maintained it was a question of domicile exclusively, but he indicated a willingness that pupils from Esquimalt and Oak Bay should be received in the senior classes at the high school in case the district municipalities might have only one or two pupils of that standing.

Mr. Leonard Tait (Esquimalt) deprecated the action of the city in sending out its bill of charges without first taking the matter up with the outside municipalities. Had this latter step been taken, undoubtedly some amicable arrangement would have been arrived at. Esquimalt had received intimation early in the year that some charge would be made, and later it was notified of the $66 levy authorized by the city school board. Later still came the notification from the city comptroller that the charge to be levied by the city would be $123, and this in spite of the fact that verbal assurances had been given by city school officials that the fee would be $88. He declared the city's charge to be an extortionate one and one which the ratepayers of the city would not sanction. The action of the city interfered with the whole idea of free education. The muddle had been further complicated by the fact that the principal of the high school has been enrolling pupils from Esquimalt, thereby demoralizing the efforts of the Esquimalt Municipality to organize a high school in that district. Without due notice, he believed, the city could not legally collect the bill.

Favors Settlement

Alderman McNeill was of opinion that the Act did not require notice, but he was willing to admit that perhaps the cost of the high school grounds should not be considered, and he favored a settlement on the basis of the school board's figures plus a sum for depreciation on building.

Councillor Gordon (Oak Bay), stated that municipality was prepared to make a nominal payment on account of the education of pupils last year, but now that a district high school had been instituted it was impossible to go further.

Mrs. Hutchinson, on behalf of the Saanich board, urged the city to do nothing that would amount to discrimination, and deprecated the attempt to localize high school education. She believed that when Saanich established a higher grade agricultural school there would be no such discrimination against the city.

Mayor Stewart thought that if the Esquimalt board had not acted before a conference had been held matters could have been straightened out in a way satisfactory to all, but Mr. Tait declared it was the result of the city's unfair action.

INDUSTRIAL ROSTER

Mr. Ernest McGaffey Secures Valuable Information Which May Increase Production of War Supplies

Mr. Ernest McGaffey, secretary of the Provincial Bureau of Information, who, at the instance of Sir Richard McBride, has been entrusted with the task of preparing an estimate of the extent of the ability of the manufacturing concerns of British Columbia to engage in the production of war supplies, returned on Friday from an extended tour of the Mainland and Island. He visited a majority of the manufacturing establishments on the lower Mainland, and Ladysmith and Nanaimo, interviewed boards of trade and public officials, and collected a great quantity of data which it is believed will indicate that the manufacturing resources of British Columbia have not as yet been fully utilized.

Mr. McGaffey has already made an interim verbal report to Sir Richard, and the latter yesterday expressed himself to the effect that he believed that the mission of inquiry would prove of great value to the manufacturing interests of British Columbia.

The landed gentry have given their sons nobly and freely with the industrial classes, but the capitalist classes are sitting at home in comfort and security behind the bodies of better men than themselves.—Ben Tillett

SUBMARINE INQUIRY

No Definite Date Yet Fixed for Arrival of Sir Charles Davidson

Sir Richard McBride is momentarily expecting information from Sir Charles Davidson as to the exact date for the opening of the inquiry in this city into the purchase a year ago of the two submarines. It is not anticipated that the investigation will occupy any very great length of time, though the session of the board of inquiry may be extended to other war purchases in British Columbia.

Sir Richard intends to offer to the commissioner the facilities of apartments at the Parliament Buildings for the holding of the sessions. Rooms in the courthouse will also be available for the commissioner, should he prefer them.

LAST OF HARVESTERS WILL LEAVE TONIGHT

Registration at Victoria Was Finished Yesterday—Total Number Sent From This Province Was 3,000.

Tonight will be the last opportunity for those desiring work in the harvest fields of the prairies to leave from here. Those who have registered and desire to go must sail on the regular boat at 11:45 p. m., and they will leave Vancouver tomorrow afternoon. On Friday afternoon Mr. Withy, special agent of the Saskatchewan Government, returned to the city from Nanaimo and yesterday he effected registration of about eighty men here. In all there have been about 570 Victorians registered, of whom about 400 have already left. A number have been hanging back, but unless they are ready to leave tonight, they will be unable to secure advantage of the cheap rate. Those who leave tonight can secure their tickets at the C. P. R. wharf after 8 p. m.

At Nanaimo Mr. Withy registered 145 men, who left yesterday morning via Vancouver. Registrations have also been proceeding in the Interior, at Kamloops, Nelson and Revelstoke, where approximately 350 men were secured. Many more men could have been registered, but the representatives sent out by the Saskatchewan Government have been taking only those who are fit and who have had some experience of the work.

Mr. Pearl Fleming, of the Provincial Government Department, returned yesterday from Vancouver, where he made further arrangements for the transportation of the men to the Prairie section. The total contribution of men from British Columbia has been approximately 3,000.

MAKE HISTORIC TRIP

Personnel of Party Accompanying Sir William Mackenzie on Canadian Northern Transcontinental Run

The personnel of the party who made the historic through trip on the Canadian Northern Railway, covering the distance of 2,950 miles from Toronto to Port Mann in ninety-one running hours, was as follows:

Sir William Mackenzie, Lady Mackenzie and maid; Sir Glenholme Falconbridge, chief justice of the court of appeals, Ontario; Lady Falconbridge; Mr. D. B. Hanna, third vice-president, Toronto; Mrs. Hanna, Miss Jean Hanna; Mr. W. Tuxford, secretary to third vice-president, Toronto; Mr. A. J. Mitchell, assistant to vice-president, Toronto; Mr. S. J. Hungerford, superintendent rolling stock, Toronto; Major G. A. Bell, financial comptroller, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa; Mr. P. Burns, Calgary; Mr. W. C. Rowley, manager Canadian Bank of Commerce, Winnipeg; Mr. M. H. McLeod, general manager, Winnipeg; Mr. J. R. Cameron, assistant general manager, Winnipeg; Mr. George Mitchell, secretary to general manager, Winnipeg; Mr. C. E. Friend, general auditor, Winnipeg; Mr. A. H. Eager, assistant superintendent rolling stock, Winnipeg; Mr. E. Langham, purchasing agent, Winnipeg; Mr. W. Pratt, Jr., general superintendent S. and L. cars and hotels, Winnipeg; Mr. George Stephen, general freight agent, Winnipeg, Mr. R. Creelman, general passenger agent, Winnipeg; Mr. C. H. Hickie, cashier and paymaster, Winnipeg; Mr. W. C. Muir, general superintendent Canadian Northern Express Company, Winnipeg; Mr. T. J. Lowe, fuel agent, Winnipeg; Mr. H. McConkey, superintendent electrical and telegraph maintenance, Winnipeg; Mr. R. B. Pratt, architect, Winnipeg; Mr. D. Coyle, Mackenzie, Mann & Co., Winnipeg; Mr. P. C. Andrews, Mackenzie, Mann & Co., Winnipeg; Mr. D. R. Campbell, superintendent of construction, Mackenzie, Mann & Co., Winnipeg; Mr. W. A. Brown, general superintendent, Edmonton; Mr. John Norquay, road foreman of engines, Edmonton; Mr. A. R. Hern, president Northern Construction Co.; Mr. T. H. White, chief engineer, Vancouver; Mr. C. N. Wilde, of the executive branch at Vancouver; Mr. J. C. Quantic, construction master mechanic, Vancouver; Mr. J. H. Mercer, superintendent of construction, Vancouver; Mr. H. L. Johnson, divisional engineer; Mr. J. A. Chamberlain, divisional engineer; Mr. R. W. Graham, superintendent bridges and buildings; Mr. M. MacLeod, son of General Manager M. H. MacLeod; Dr. R. McKenzie, chief surgeon.

Centennial Epworth League—Tomorrow evening's meeting of the Centennial Epworth League will be in charge of the Citizenship Department, when Miss I. Aubin will address the league on "The Vancouver Prohibition Convention." At the close of the regular session the monthly executive meeting will be held.

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PRAISES PROGRESS ON HARBOR WORKS

Sir Richard McBride Says Immense Undertakings Will Give Victoria Unexcelled Port Facilities.

On Friday, Sir Richard McBride, through the courtesy of Mr. J. S. MacLachlan, Dominion resident engineer, and Mr. H. Brooks, local manager of Sir John Jackson (Canada), Limited, made a tour of the harbor works now in course of construction at the port of Victoria, and had explained to him by those officials the technical details of the work, as it has progressed thus far. Yesterday, in referring to the matter, Sir Richard said:

"I was simply amazed at the magnitude of the undertakings, of the importance of which one can only get a comprehensive idea by a personal inspection. The rate of progress on the breakwater and the piers at the Outer Harbor has been really remarkable, when one remembers all the adverse conditions which have prevailed for the last year, conditions which were not anticipated by the Government nor by the contractors.

"I was fortunate in having as my guides gentlemen so thoroughly conversant with the work as Messrs. Brooks and MacLachlan, and I am indebted to them for the pains they took to explain all the details of the work.

"I was very much surprised at the fine progress that has been made and also pleased at the evidences of skillful and excellent workmanship. There cannot be the slightest doubt that when the immense undertakings are finished, Victoria may boast of port equipment in respect to shipping facilities second to none in the world. One does not require much vision to anticipate that ultimately the fine harbor works at Victoria will be linked up by means of railway connection with the transcontinental lines, and then we shall assuredly see facilities established for the handling of a portion of the great wheat crop of the Northwest."

FATALLY BURNED WHEN PINNED UNDER MOTOR

Mr. F. G. Casey Is Victim of Flames From Burning Gasoline—Friends Release Him, But Too Late.

Pinned beneath the motor car when it turned turtle, and unable to extricate himself, Mr. F. G. Casey, of 422 Parry Street, last night at 10:15 o'clock was so badly burned about the body when the gasoline became ignited that no hope is entertained for his recovery. Though conscious when he arrived at St. Joseph's Hospital, whither he was rushed at a record speed in the police motor patrol, his injuries were deemed to be fatal. Early this morning his condition was reported as hopeless.

With a party of friends, most of them members of the force of men engaged by the Warren Construction Company, Mr. Casey was out motoring last evening. The accident occurred when the motor car was coming from off the Saanich Road on to Quadra Street. Just what happened could not be learned last night, but it is thought the machine struck a pile of loose rock at the edge of the roadway. The car was going at a fair rate of speed, and after hitting the rocks it suddenly swerved off to one side and striking the incline at the edge of the roadway, overturned. The other occupants of the car were thrown out, but landed clear of the car. Mr. Casey was less fortunate, and the car pinned him down. Almost immediately the gasoline caught alight and in an instant, as it seemed, the whole machine was ablaze. Mr. Casey's clothing was saturated with the fluid and while his friends in response to his frenzied cries made every effort to extricate him, it was some minutes before the car was pushed back upon one side and the injured man rescued. By that time his clothing had been burned almost off his body, the flesh of his arms and legs being badly burned and, in fact, his entire body from his feet to his head was one huge burn.

The flames of the burning car and cries of the injured man attracted the attention of a large number of motorists who were traveling on the road. Someone telephoned to the city to Dr. Holden, who made haste to reach the scene of the accident, and the police patrol was also summoned. Mr. Casey was taken to the hospital, where examination by Dr. Holden showed there was little or no chance for his recovery. Besides his external burns he had evidently inhaled the burning gas and all the way to the hospital he begged for water.

The motor car was completely demolished, nothing but the metal frame, badly twisted, remaining.

AERO CLUB OF B. C.

Vancouver Men Interested in Establishing Aviation School Organize—Judge Schultz President

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 28.—Considerable progress towards beginning an aviation school and promoting aviation in general in British Columbia was made last evening at a meeting of the aeronautic enthusiasts in Ye Olde English Billiard Parlors when the Aero Club of British Columbia was formally organized and officers elected.

Following the election of Mr. H. H. Stevens, M. P., to the position of honorary president, the secretary gave a verbal report to the effect that the local member was now negotiating with Ottawa authorities to have the local school recognized and was doing everything in his power to arrange plans whereby graduates from the aviation school of the Aero Club of British Columbia would easily find their way into the Royal Naval Flying Corps. His Honor Judge Schultz was elected president of the new club, and gave a brief speech outlining the objects of the club.

The following is a list of the officers for the Aero Club of British Columbia, elected last evening for the first term: Honorary president, Mr. H. H. Stevens, M. P.; honorary vice-presidents, H. Bell-Irving, W. H. Malkin and G. McDonald; president, Judge Schultz; vice-presidents, G. H. Cowan, W. J. M. Sebkier and W. E. Burns; treasurer, Mr. Birkenshaw; secretary, Mr. J. W. Pattison; executive committee, Sgt. Rayner, W. H. Alladice, M. Seymour; flying committee, O. C. Rayner, J. Phillips and William Stark.

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21128—Forgotten Melodies, Concertina, Alexander Prince.
23341—Gems of England, National Military Band.
23342—Gems of Ireland. National Military Band.
23343—Gems of Scotland. National Military Band.
23344—Gems of Wales, National Military Band.
23170—The Gondoliers, Selections from. (Gilbert-Sullivan.) National Military Band.
23333—Hearts of Oak. (Garrick-Boyer.) Baritone, Peter Dawson.
23070—It's Mine When You've Done With It. (Godfrey-Williams.) Billy Williams.
2[illegible]07—Little Grey Home in the West—Waltz. (Lohr.) London Concert Orchestra.
Regimental Marches—National Military Band:
23328—No. 1—Brigade of Guards.
23329—No. 2.
23020—No. 3.
23227—Somewhere a Voice Is Calling. (Tate-Newton.) Tenor, Hughes Macklin.

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CONDITIONS AT VERNON

Each of Three Overseas Infantry Battalions in Camp Is Now Over Strength

VERNON, B. C., Aug. 28.—At the present time each of the three infantry battalions, the 47th, the 54th and the 62nd, are over strength. Recent notifications that no restraint could be exercised by wives or parents on those desirous of enlisting to serve their country, has resulted in detachments of recruits being brought into the camp from all over the country.

In some cases recruits have come up to Vernon, visited the camp at their own expense, and, after deciding which of the overseas units they prefer to be identified with, join as from Vernon. This means that at the conclusion of the war or of their service to the country, these men will not be taken to New Westminster or Vancouver but to Vernon, the place of their enlistment, irrespective of the fact that they came to the town at their own expense.

There are very few young men in Vernon now wearing civilian clothing. As a matter of fact, most of them to have emulated the high example set by men from scores of big and little towns in British Columbia, and signed their names upon the high roll of honor.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BIRTHS

HUMBER—At 749 Tomas Avenue, on Aug. 26, to the wife of Mr. Sydney Humber, a daughter.

BARNES—On Aug. 25, at 225 Irving Road, to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Barnes, a son.

FENWICK—On Saturday, Aug. 21, to the wife of Robert A. Fenwick, of this city, a daughter.

MARRIAGES

MANN-SHARPE—W. F. Mann and C. V. Sharpe, of Victoria, were united in marriage on Saturday, August 21, at Seattle.

DEATHS

HOOK—Killed in action at the Dardanelles between 9th and 11th August, Robin Hook, Second Lieutenant, 9th Service Battalion, Lancashire Fusiliers, second son of Allan J. Hook, of Maddoxes, Cobble Hill, Vancouver Island, aged 26.

MILLAR—At Vernon, B. C., on the 25th inst., Pte. Archibald Millar, B. Section, Canadian Field Ambulance, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Millar, of Esquimalt. The remains will repose at Hands Funeral Parlors, Quadra Street, until 1:30 p. m. on Sunday, the 29th inst., when a short funeral service will be held, conducted by the Rev. Robert Hughes, of Esquimalt Methodist Church. Afterwards the casket will be conveyed to the Ross Bay Cemetery for interment. Friends will kindly accept this as the only intimation.

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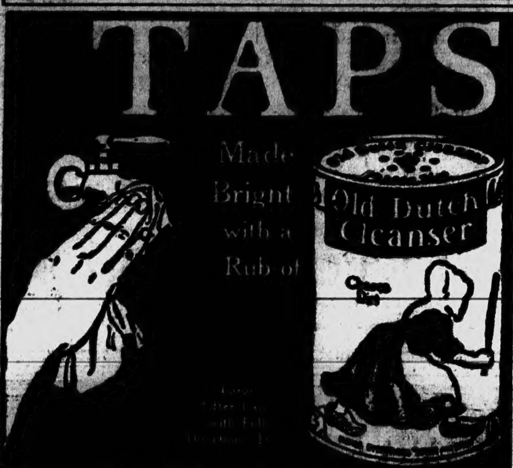

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BY MARIA LAWSON

MISS J. E. M. BARBIER

The Yard

We gained a yard. The foeman somehow blundered,
We saw the chance and made him yield us ground,
And at the close of day we grimly wondered
What blows we needs must strike, till peace was found.
We gained a yard; and in our ragged files
Remained the hope to win four hundred miles!

We gained a mile. The plan concealed and cherished,
By those strong leaders, at whose word we fought
Matured in deeds. War-shattered columns perished,
And through the storm a thing of praise we wrought.
We gained a mile, but every yard was red
With our best blood and carpeted with dead.

We gained a yard—a mile—a league. And onward
We pressed unflinchingly at the foeman's heel,
Weary of heart and hand, but facing dawnward
We compassed victory with flame and steel;
Till ruin, working at our strong behest,
Wrought surest peace and bade the nations rest.

We gained a yard, and in that bitter gaining
Our best and bravest at the onset fell;
Where shards of pain from iron throats were raining
They died and none could tell them it was well.
But we who lived till the last trumpet call
Knew that the yard they gained was key to all.

—George Street.

The Royal Red Cross

When the war is over one of the decorations most highly prized will be that of the Royal Red Cross. This is a decoration won by Red Cross nurses who have displayed special skill in organisation and unusual devotion to duty and in some cases for bravery, for some of the Red Cross nurses in Belgium and Serbia have risked their lives with a courage not excelled by that of the most gallant soldiers. Among those who have won the coveted decoration is Miss Campbell, a Montreal woman, matron of the Duchess of Connaught Red Cross Hospital at Cliveden. Another upon whom the distinction has been bestowed by King George is Miss Barbier, whom the people of England hold in high honor.

German Women

In seeking for the cause of the policy of "frightfulness" which has been adopted by the leaders of the German nation, there are some who point to the attitude of Germans to womanhood as the explanation.

A writer in Church Life concludes, chiefly from the observations of Germans themselves, that women have but little influence in the national life. Their submissiveness fosters in their husbands that spirit of domination which has led to the desire to rule the world.

If it were otherwise; if wives and mothers and sisters had not yielded their wills completely to men, their husbands and sons could not have carried ruin and destruction into Belgium. Peaceful citizens and defenceless women and children would have been spared, and not even the most ruthless officer would have dreamed of sinking passenger ships with their freight of defenceless men, women and children.

It would be gratifying to the women of other countries to believe that their sisters in Germany had no part in the crimes which the army has committed. Certainly one, at least, of the apologists for German methods, Maximilian Furston, has spoken of domestic life in his native country in terms which indicate that woman is treated as an inferior.

Whatever may be the truth, and it is not easy to believe that the officers responsible for the hideous cruelties that have shocked the world inherited the evil in their natures from their fathers only, women of British birth should see to it that they are fitting themselves to be the mothers of men who will not only be brave, but wise and just and merciful. Whatever may be true elsewhere, we know that in Canada, sons as well as daughters inherit the qualities of their mothers as well as of their fathers, and that the training received in the home has a great influence on their characters.

No woman has a right to submit to a rule in her own home which will lead her to forget the law of love, which is above all human laws, and should be the guiding principle of all actions. The courtesy and gentleness with which husbands and fathers in the best homes in English speaking countries treat their woman kind, is no mark of weakness.

In the last great war, Bayard Taylor told us, "in a poem of the trenches,"
"The bravest are the tenderest,
The loving are the daring."
This has already been proved this year by young Canadians, who have left homes in which there was true freedom as well as sincere love and perfect confidence.

To millions of homes throughout Europe and in all British lands, sorrow and desolation have come because ambition has blinded the men of a great nation to all sense of duty and right. What can the women who are left at home do to ensure that at the end of this struggle the peace for which men are fighting shall be a lasting one? How shall we discipline ourselves and train the children who are left us that they may be fitted to be citizens of the state of the future? We know not what is before us or what sacrifices we shall be called upon to make. But we do know that if this Canada of ours is to be a great nation, its women must unite with the freedom for which we are thankful, greater unselfishness, and a truer devotion to the duties of home which are at the foundation of the greatness of every state.

The Children

Who is so sad or so cold as not to feel the heart warm to the children who are to be met everywhere these afternoons? The little folk are filled with such an earnestness as they pass along the streets to the bookstores to make their little purchases. The little lads with their rulers and primers are as happy as kings. The older boys and girls, buying their first Latin books, are scarcely less pleased. Tomorrow night they may puzzle over the hard lessons and difficult problems, today they feel the delight of ownership as they carry off the well printed, nicely bound, and often well illustrated books.

Their work is fresh to most of them, and even those who must return to their grades do so under different conditions. It is all a new adventure. The teachers, themselves, refreshed by their holiday, are filled with enthusiasm and vigor. Even the dullest pupil must feel a sort of exhilaration in these opening days of the term. Twentieth century children are envied, and not without reason, by the older people who look back upon their own childhood. There is far more variety in their school life, and far less of sternness. To the little ones, especially, school is a place of almost unalloyed happiness. They work harder than their fathers or grandfathers did, but there is an atmosphere of kindness, a sense of achievement that only the rare child enjoyed in the old days. Froebel and Pestalozzi and Montessori and many another have had their part in making the road easy and the burden light to the little wayfarers towards the temple of knowledge. The books placed in their hands are beautiful, both in matter and form, and the tasks set them are pleasant.

Who will do for the intermediate grade a work as beneficent as has been accomplished for the little children? But even here there has been progress, and it is certain that a poet in these days would have to search for the schoolboy "creeping like snail unwillingly to school."

Happy as our young people are, the responsibility of their teachers is no light one. The children are the hope of the future, and it is theirs to help in bringing about its fulfilment. In their task they need the sympathy and appreciation of all good citizens, and their success depends in no small degree upon receiving these in liberal measure.

The Newspapers

The plan of providing wrappers for newspapers addressed to Lady Drummond's department of the Canadian Red Cross undertaken by the Women's Press Club of Vancouver has proved very successful. The number issued has already increased by many thousands, and the movement has the cordial approval of the Postmaster-General, who is notifying all the postmasters throughout the Province that wrappers may be secured by the hundred dozen for the outlying districts where only a weekly paper is published.

One of the members of the Vancouver Branch of the Canadian Women's Press Club has received a letter from Lady Drummond, which shows how much the papers are wanted.

"Thanks much for the B. C. papers. We already distribute newspapers to a great many hospitals as well as to wounded soldiers individually. And now the large supplies which are coming in have put us in a position to be much more liberal with the hospitals. Tomorrow we send five large sacks to the Canadian Red Cross in Boulogne, where the papers will be sent to Rouen, Havre, Versailles, etc., to be circulated among Canadians. Nothing seems to give greater pleasure than a newspaper from the special part of Canada to which a soldier belongs.

"As you probably know, we are informed by a post card (which we issue) of the arrival of the Canadian wounded at any hospital, on which is given the home address, so that we can choose our paper accordingly. We have had a great many B. C. wounded, for your men have done very valiantly and have suffered heavy losses."

It is only to the hospitals that Lady Drummond distributes papers. Every one should see that the man at the front gets a home paper.

Mrs. Fitzgibbon and Mrs. MacKay, who have inaugurated this plan of providing a supply of wrappers for newspapers, are filling an important place in the Red Cross work.

"Club of the Maple Leaf"

Canadian soldiers on furlough have, through the generosity of a number of public-spirited Canadians under the leadership of Lady Drummond, been provided with a club, where they can live at the moderate charge of three shillings a day. There will be sleeping accommodation for fifty or sixty, a large dining-room, recreation and smoking-rooms. Letters have been sent to all the hospitals, so that men who are going out on furlough may make application for accommodation. It is intended that soldiers who are on ordinary furlough, as well as those who are recovering from illness shall find in the Maple Leaf Club a home while spending a holiday in London. For those who are strangers, this should be an advantage. The use which Lady Drummond is making of her wealth and her talent is gaining for her the love and gratitude of all Canadians. She has long held a very high place in the esteem of the citizens of Montreal.

A Noble Woman

The story of Clara Barton, the founder of the American Red Cross, is one to rouse the women of this generation to noble deeds. With no advantages of birth or education, she became in the truest sense of the word a national leader. Today, when the work of the American Red Cross is calling forth the admiration of the world, women may well pause to study the story of the life of its founder. It is a record of achievement and of enterprise rare indeed in the history of womanhood.

Clara Barton was the daughter of a soldier, for her father fought in the war of 1812, while her grandfather was one of those who helped to win the independence of the United States. In 1830, however, when Clara Barton was born on Christmas Day no clash of arms drowned the song of the angels or disturbed the peace of mind of the little family in the New England farmhouse. She was the youngest of five children and lived a healthy, happy life with her brothers and sisters. To one of the former, David, she owed the skill in riding, without which much of her work would have been hampered. She was a shy child, but a good student, and when, as a girl of 16, she took charge of a country school, her kindness and sympathy and that talent for order and discipline which she inherited from her mother made her an excellent teacher.

Not satisfied with her attainments, the young teacher went to a seminary in Clinton, New Jersey, and then astonished the people of a district in the same state by opening a public school and carrying it on successfully among people whose religious beliefs were different and whose prejudices were strong and bitter.

When Clara Barton was thirty-three years of age she took the then unprecedented step of accepting a position in a government office. In these days, when one finds one or more stenographers in every public office, it is almost impossible to imagine the feelings that were aroused by the appearance in a position of trust and responsibility of a woman among a body of men.

It must have been with a great sense of her honor and ability that the head of the patent department employed Clara Barton to regulate affairs which had fallen into a state of confusion that threatened the rights of inventors. She was as successful here as in the management of a school, and showed that she could hold her own against opposition. When she was dismissed because of her advocacy of the right of the slaves to freedom, it was found necessary to recall her, so valuable were her services.

Clara Barton was already in the [illegible] of the day, an "old maid" when she found her life-work. The Civil War had broken out and, during a visit to Washington, for her work at the patent office was over, she saw the first wounded soldiers being brought home. She knew she could nurse, and she went straight to the hospital. Here, as before, she proved her efficiency, and she soon became the trusted agent of anxious mothers. When the soldiers left Washington, in spite of opposition, Clara Barton went to the front, and there earned from the grateful men the title of the "Angel of the Battlefield." During this war she went from camp to prison or besieged city, bringing order and relief wherever she went. She shared the discomforts and privations of the men she nursed during that terrible four years, and was tireless in her ministry to them.

After the war was over there were countless inquiries for "missing men," and with the consent of President Lincoln, the devoted nurse entered upon a search. What to others would have been an impossible task was accomplished, and thousands of mourners had the melancholy satisfaction of learning where their loved ones lay.

When the period of reconstruction began, Clara Barton took part in the lecture campaign, which did much to educate public opinion. The generous-hearted woman devoted the $25,000 she earned in this way to charitable work.

The war of secession was scarcely over when in 1864 the nations of Europe agreed to found the International Red Cross Society at Geneva, Switzerland, which has done so much to mitigate the horrors of war. At the first convention the United States was not represented.

In 1869 Clara Barton went to Geneva. The Red Cross committee asked her to try to induce her countrymen to join the society. Soon after the Franco-Prussian War broke out, and Miss Barton went to the front to see how the Red Cross worked. What she saw delighted her, and she went home. It was seven years before President Arthur was prevailed upon to use his influence, and the United States entered the Treaty of Geneva. Miss Barton was made the first president, and held the office for twenty-two years. It was owing to her that the American amendment was added to the treaty, which enabled the branches to extend aid to the sufferers from calamity in peace as well as in war.

Since that time the American Red Cross workers have aided in repairing the losses by flood, fire, earthquake and famine. It assisted in the Spanish-American War, and in 1904 Miss Barton offered its aid to Japan. She was then 75 years of age.

To the last Miss Barton was simple and unaffected. She made her home in Maryland, and called it Glen Echo. The nineteenth century boasts of many great philanthropists, but among them all no names will stand out brighter than those of two women, Florence Nightingale and Clara Barton.

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REMARKABLE SUICIDE

Apprentice of Steamer Willesden Dived Head Foremost Down the Funnel

What is probably the most remarkable case of suicide in the annals of the mercantile marine ocurred on the recent voyage of the British steamer Willesden, which arrived at Sydney from Buenos Ayres prior to the departure of the liner Makura from the Australian port, when an apprentice named G. Lyons dived head foremost down the funnel of the steamer.

The sensational incident occured five days after the Willesden left Buenos Ayres. Lyons, who was eighteen years of age, and a native of Dublin, was known on board as "Paddy." He made his way to the deck thinly clad early in the morning and spoke to the chief officer. Shortly afterwards a member of the crew saw Lyons scrambling up the small iron ladder which runs up the full length of the funnel. When he reached the top he paused for a moment, and then dived headlong down the inside of the stack.

It is estimated that Lyons must have fallen about seventy feet into the smoke box, and this had to be partly opened before the body could be released and taken out.

The Willesden is well known in the North Pacific trade.

PROMINENT BRITISH SHIPOWNER DEAD

The death took place recently at Croydon, near London, of Mr. Alfred Henry Houlder, shipowner.

The deceased, who was 58 years of age, was the son of the late Mr. Alfred Houlder, sr., and was brother of Mr. Howard Houlder. For many years he was a director of Messrs. Houlder Brothers & Co. He retired from the board in 1908, and subsequently joined his brother, Mr. Howard Houlder, in business, and became a director of of Messrs. Houlder, Middleton & Co. Mr. Alfred Houlder was particularly well known in shipping and commercial circles.

BLUE FUNNEL SHIP OUT

Machaon Left Yesterday for Vancouver to Complete Discharging Inward Cargo

After discharging several hundred tons of United Kingdom cargo at the Outer Docks, the British steamer Machaon, Captain Bevan, of the Blue Funnel fleet, left port about nine o'clock yesterday morning for Vancouver to complete. From the Mainland port she will shift to Seattle and Tacoma to load, preparatory to leaving the Coast on her return trip to England via the Panama Canal.

BECKENHAM TO RETURN

The British steamer Beckenham, which was formerly in the Canadian-Mexican-Pacific service between Vancouver, Victoria and ports on the Mexican seaboard, has been chartered by H. M. Houser to carry wheat from Puget Sound to the United Kingdom, with the option of Australia.

The Beckenham is now on passage from Philadelphia, and was reported passing through the Panama Canal on August 13.

May Shortly Resume Transpacific Run

R.M.S. Empress of Japan which, private advices from the Orient state, is to go into service as a merchantman and will overhaul at Hongkong before loading for Victoria.

CHINESE ON TITAN ENFORCED BOYCOTT

Thirsty Passenger Sought to Trade With "Enemy," but His Compatriots Threatened Drastic Measures.

An unusual incident in connection with the Chinese boycott against Japanese goods marked the arrival of the Blue Funnel liner Titan at Yokohama from Victoria. The anti-Japanese boycott, which was established by the Chinese as a protest against the recent demands of Japan, was still in force when the Titan docked at the Nippon port. As usual when a passenger vessel berths at an Oriental port the Titan was beseiged by native merchants peddling their wares. One of the Chinese steerage passengers who had developed a thirst, temporarily forgot his antipathy to things Japanese, and endeavored to purchase a bottle of lemonade from a Nippon merchant who had boarded the ship. When the other Chinese learnt what their compatriot was about to do they became exceedingly wrath and threatened to throw him overboard if he bought anything Japanese.

Recent advices from the Orient indicated that the boycott was being raised by the Chinese, but the Titan incident goes to show that feeling still runs high.

Carried Large List

When the Titan sailed from Victoria last month she carried no less than 530 Chinese passengers. Most of them were men who have hoarded up their savings in Canada and the United States and were returning to China on a holiday trip. They refused to take any of the Japanese steamers sailing from Victoria, preferring to wait for the departure of the British liner Titan.

Most of the Chinese passengers were shopkeepers who have been in business of various kinds on this continent. There were also a number of laundrymen, vegetable farmers, and fishermen. Most of them were between 25 and 40 years old. They returned to China after having amassed what to them are considerable fortunes. It was characteristic of the Chinese that these "wealthy" men took passage in the steerage.

Before leaving this Coast some of the Titan's passengers intimated that any Chinese who attempted to return here aboard a Japanese ship would be ostracized by his countrymen both in America and China.

ON OVERDUE MARKET

Mail advices from London under the date of August 5 give the following list of risks which were being quoted in the overdue market for various reasons:

SS. Baron Driesen, ashore near Cape Gardaful, 40 per cent.

SS. Boldwell, ashore Lobus, 60 per cent.

Cape Horn, Valparaiso, Jan. 1 to Moss, 90 per cent.

SS. Grantley, ashore Kyle Rhea, 60 per cent.

SS. Hendonhall, ashore St. Lawrence, 60 per cent.

SS. Jeanara, ashore White Sea, 55 per cent.

Penrhyn Castle, Bahia Blanca, April 20, for Fremantle, 75 per cent.

SS. Samui, ashore Orkneys, 60 per cent.

NEW MOTORSHIP SERVICE

Danish East Asiatic Company to Operate Fleet of Motor-Driven Vessels in Australian Trade

The Danish East Asiatic Company has now definitely decided to place on the Copenhagen-Australian service a complete fleet of motor vessels.

The East Asiatic Company was the pioneer shipping concern operating Diesel-driven motor ships in the offshore trade. With headquarters at Copenhagen, its various lines branch out to all parts of the world. For many years past the East Asiatic Company has maintained a regular service between European and Siamese ports, and another regular service of this line is between Copenhagen and the North Pacific Coast via the Panama Canal.

THE TIME BALL

The time ball on the Belmont Building will be raised half-mast high at 12:45 p.m., to the top at 12:55 p.m. and will be dropped at 1 p.m. daily.

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WIRELESS REPORT

(By Government Wireless)

6 p. m.

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.09; 81; thick smoke seaward.

Cape Lazo—Fog; calm; 30.03; 73; sea smooth.

Pachena—Misty; S. W., fresh; 29.70; 70; sea moderate.

Estevan—Misty; S. W.; 29.85; 81; sea moderate.

Alert Bay—Hazy; calm; 29.90; 80; sea smooth.

Triangle—Clear; S. E., light; 30.04; 62; sea smooth.

Deadtree Point—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.99; 62; sea rough.

Ikeda Bay — Overcast; S. E., strong; 29.70; 69; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 29.88; sea smooth.

LINER AWA MARU STEAMS FROM JAPAN

N. Y. K. Vessel Has 112 Passengers and 6,000 Tons of Cargo for North Pacific Ports.

With 112 passengers and 6,000 tons of Oriental freight aboard for North Pacific ports, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Awa Maru, Captain Hori, is now four days out from Yokohama for Victoria. Cable advices from Japan to W. R. Dale, local agent for the Japanese company, state that the liner cleared from Yokohama on August 25, right on schedule, and is expected to make this port on September 8, fourteen days out.

The cable also states that the Awa Maru is bringing 21 passengers and 855 tons of cargo for Victoria. Of the latter 84 tons are destined for Vancouver but will be discharged here.

The total list of passengers carried by the liner for Seattle number 91, there being 41 cabin and 50 steerage.

Ships Expected Together

Two deep-sea steamships are expected in port during the next week from the Far East. They are the Hawaii Maru and the Seattle Maru, both of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha fleet. The Hawaii Maru is on her maiden voyage in the company's transpacific service, and will establish a new record for Japanese ships on this run. She sailed from Yokohama on August 20, and is due here next Wednesday. The steamer Seattle Maru sailed from the Japan coast several days ahead of the Hawai and is expected in about the same time. She was formerly one of the regular passenger liners but is now operating exclusively as a freighter.

Of the week's outward sailings the Canadian-Australasian liner Makura is scheduled to depart from Victoria on Wednesday night for Sydney via Honolulu, Suva and Auckland. She is now at Union Bay taking on bunkers and will return to Vancouver on Monday morning to start loading outward cargo.

The O. S. K. liner Panama Maru, which is now on the Sound, will put to sea on Friday next for Yokohama and Hongkong. The N. Y. K. liner Tamba Maru, which left Victoria on August 10, is reported to have arrived at Yokohama on Thursday.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

August, 1915

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10	0:16 8.3	8:43 1.3	18:00 7.3	20:27 7.0
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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower low water.

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PACIFIC MAIL LINE HAS GREAT HISTORY

Corporation Forced Out of Pacific Trade Reputed to Be Oldest American Steamship Company in Existence.

The recent sale of five liners of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company to the Atlantic Transport Line marks the withdrawal from the Pacific trade of the oldest American steamship company in existence.

The Pacific Mail was founded in the year 1847 for the purpose of running a mail service between Panama and the newly acquired territories of California and Oregon. Its first steamers were the wooden paddle boats California, 1,050 tons; Panama, 1,087 tons, and Oregon, 1,099 tons. This service was started on October 5, 1848 with the departure from New York of the steamer California. Later on when the California gold fever was at its height, and clipper ships rounding Cape Horn were earning extraordinary freights, the mail, express, freight and gold were all carried by the Pacific mail steamers.

The rush of passengers made it necessary to acquire new ships, and the steamers Columbia and Tennessee were added to the fleet. In 1859 the Pacific Mail made arrangements to take over the Collins liners Adriatic and Baltic, for the purpose of running a new line from New York to the isthmus in connection with the Panama railroad, opened in 1855, but the project fell through and the boats were withdrawn [illegible] a few months.

The following year, 1860, the company was completely reorganized. The old boats were sold, new ones were added and branch lines started from San Francisco to Mexico and the Sandwich Islands and from Panama to Central America.

Inaugurated Pacific Service

In 1865 the company secured a subsidy to operate a mail service from San Francisco via the Sandwich Islands and Japan to Hongkong. In order to carry out this contract the Pacific Mail Company ordered in New York several steamers costing over $1,000,000. The first boat built for this service was the Great Republic, of 3,381 tons, launched on August 11, 1866. She was a wooden boat driven by side paddles propelled by beam engines, and ended her days by stranding in 1879.

It was not until 1872 that the Pacific Mail ordered iron screw steamers. These were the City of Pekin and the City of Tokio, delivered in October, 1874, at a cost to the company of $2,800,000. They were of 5,100 tons register. They shortened the time for the passage from San Francisco to Yokohama to sixteen days, against an average of forty-two days required by the Great Republic type. The City of Pekin was sold as a hulk in 1910, while her consort was wrecked near Yokohama.

Advent of Korea and Siberia

The fine steel twin-screw steamships Korea and Siberia, of eighteen knots speed, built by the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock Company, were delivered to the company in June, 1902, and cost $3,975,114.37. Upon the death of Mr. Collis P. Huntington, his controlling interest passed to the Southern Pacific Company, which came under the control of Mr. A. H. Harriman in 1903. The latter took over from the Atlantic Transport Line the steel twin screw steamers Minnekata and Minnelora, built by the New York Shipbuilding Company.

These two boats, of 28,000 tons displacement and sixteen knots speed, were renamed Manchuria and Mongolia, and were transferred to the ownership of the Union Pacific Railroad. Upon their completion in 1905, they were chartered to the Pacific Mail Company, and on November 1, 1911, the Pacific Mail bought these ships from the estate of E. H. Harriman, giving for them sixty-four notes of $102,544.42 each, amounting in all to $6,562,842.93.

The Korea and Siberia, with the Mongolia and Manchuria, together with the China, a steamer of 5,060 tons gross, built at Glasgow in 1889, are now to be transferred to the Atlantic Transport Line to be operated between New York and San Francisco, and New York and England, according to necessities of trade.

SCHOONER SECURES HIGH CHARTER RATE

Willis A. Holden to Load Lumber on Sound for Either Melbourne or Sydney

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 28.—The second vessel of the Port Blakeley Transportation Company's fleet to be called into active service this week, the schooner Willis A. Holden, was chartered yesterday by the Port Blakeley Mill Company to load lumber for either Melbourne or Sydney, Australia. If she goes to Melbourne she will receive a charter rate of 107s 6d, while the rate to Sydney is 97s 6d. Both rates are records.

Earlier in the week the transportation company chartered the schooner J. W. Clise to the mill company at the rate of 107s 6d. The Melbourne rate for the Holden, accordingly is 2s higher than the Clise's rates. Both the Holden and the Clise belonged to the old Globe Navigation Company's fleet, which was purchased a month ago by the Port Blakeley Transportation Company.

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(By Rev. Wm. Barton, Chaplain)

THE 1st British Columbia Regiment early in its career, because of its component parts—units from Fusiliers and Rifles—received the name "Rifleiers" in the marching song composed by the late Capt. R. V. Harvey, when en route to Valcartier. The word was coined for the refrain: "The boys who come from the setting sun, the B.C. Rifleliers."

The various regiments that supplied volunteers for the battalion were the 6th D.C.O. Rifles, 11th Irish Rifles, New Westminsters, 88th Victoria Fusiliers, New Westminster Fusiliers, Rocky Mountain Rangers and the Kootenay Contingent.

After the battle of Keerselaere-Gravenstafle-St. Julien, the battalion was reinforced by a draft from the 2nd B.C.R.

Nothing of note marked their stay at Valcartier and their voyage across the Atlantic on their way to England, except that they received special words of commendation from H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, General Alderson, and at the first review by His Majesty, King George V. At the second review by His Majesty, only the King's message was sent to the 1st Canadian division. The same might be said of the inspection at the front by Sir John French and Sir H. Smith-Dorrien.

The spirit of patriotism which had led these splendid lads to volunteer in this time of their country's need had, in many instances, previously led them to British Columbia to help develop the wonderful resources of the Province, which contains unique opportunities for the man with pluck and initiative, and whoever refuses to acknowledge himself as beaten.

It was this spirit that carried him through the tedious, wet, interminable mud of Salisbury Plains. "Are we downhearted? No! No! No!" was their cry. It was that unconquerable spirit that held them when the French were demoralized on their left, through the Germans' devilish use of gas that killed and agonized thousands and left the left flank of the Canadian Division open to an enveloping flank attack.

It was this unbreakable spirit that held them hour by hour, when shrapnel and high explosive rained like a good old British Columbia rain, both up and down, all sides at once, at Festubert. It was the noble spirit of British Columbia brotherhood, that our early pioneers have given to mark the western spirit, that held them as they collected from the front of their trenches at Givenchy, with the enemy trenches from 40 to 80 yards away, the wounded who had been lying out through chill night and blazing sun for 48 and 72 hours, to hurry them to hospital, and to give reverent burial to a large number of dead comrades of another brigade.

It has been long recognized that this is and has been the spirit of the true Canadian, whether by birth or residence. In this terrible war, it is the common possession of the B.E.F., but because it is so grandly developed in our British Columbia boys, we believe it enables them to be steadfast and true to their God, their King, and their country, and show that their motto, "Splendor Sine Occasu," is safe in their care.

First Time in Trenches

In the story of the 1st B.C.R., or 7th Canadian Battalion, it is only necessary to refer to the particular events which go to make their history. In February, after a short rest at Strazeele, early in the morning they assembled in a field and the O.C., Col. Hart-McHarg, called the battalion to attention—it was on a Sunday morning—and orders had been received that the brigade would march to Ploegsteert, and there would go into the trenches with an English brigade for instructional purposes.

Having come to attention, the chaplain called on the battalion to join in the Lord's Prayer. He then recited the Collect in time of War, and pronounced the benediction.

It was the stage of the journey that took them to the actual scene of war—the mysterious place known as The Front. With prayer and blessing they proceeded to meet its terror, hardships and undying glory.

"Plug Street" in February! The place of desolation! But oh, the long, hard, "pave" road that had to be trodden before you got there! Fifteen long, weary hours getting there, with some hard-hearted monster, who persisted in going on and on, at the head of the column—a monster like some gigantic tadpole, all head and no feet. Else he would long time rest by the estaminet, where consolation for blisters could be obtained.

The 1st British Columbia got there with a surprisingly small number of "fallen outs." Into the trench they marched the next night and partook of the joys of the "tamboo" and monotony of endurance. Work parties all night—digging trenches—pumping water out—putting up wire entanglements—going out on listening patrols.

Not a day went by without its casualty in death and wounds. War with its awful cruelty was the first lesson learned.

After a short experience at Plug Street, the brigade's next experience in the trenches was at Fleurbaix. A line of trenches was taken over from a British division. The battalion at this time was fully organized. Lt.-Col. W. Hart-McHarg, O.C.; Major V. W. Odlum, second in command; Major Moberley, O.C. No. 1 Company; Major Rigby, No. 2 Company; Captain Cooper, No. 3 Company; and Major Byng-Hall of No. 4 Company.

The headquarters in the trenches were at La Boutillaire convent. The foundations and convent walls alone existed at this time, the rest was battered down by many shells. The bricks of which it had been substantially built had long ago been used to pave trenches, build parapets and fill thousands of sandbags.

The battle of Neuve Chapelle was fought whilst the division held these trenches. The battalion was in the front line of trenches and at the word of command opened a steady fire on the enemy trenches. It prevented any reinforcements being sent from this position. From the terrific cannonade, which had continued from the early hours of the morning, all hands knew that a great battle was being fought. Never for an instant did our lads show signs of undue excitement, but as Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien afterwards said: "From the time you went into the trenches I had experienced officers who watched you. Each report that came to me led me to think that, like my old command in South Africa, of which I was proud, I should be equally proud of you, for from the beginning you acted with the steadiness of veterans."

All ranks gained much valuable experience during these weeks of preparation. All were anxious to move forward. The casualty list had grown, but as a rule was only looked upon as the fortune of war. They made our lads more anxious to come to grips with the foe and exact a heavy payment for the officers and men the sniper had picked off.

After Fleurbaix, rest and refitting at the town of Estaires, holy week and Easter were fitting preparation for what was to come. On from Estaires to Steenwoorde and then on April 13 moved near Ypres. Here the Canadian division took over a line of French trenches, as the B.E.F. was increasing in strength. The Canadian division had been in the Ypres salient just ten days when the Germans made their memorable attack on the Turco-Algerian division of the French army. As long as the world lasts no blot on the history of the German race will be remembered as so absolutely degrading as their use of poisonous gas against their fellowmen. The wilful disregard of the Geneva Convention is as nothing to this inhuman device.

Before the battle commenced officers and men had begun to win honor before King and country. Lieut. Thorn, of No. 2 Company (11th Irish), performed the act of gallantry which is among those recommended for the King's award. A French rocket had been misfired. After circling round it fell, burning furiously, in a box of 20 loaded hand-grenades. Mr. Thorn sang out, "Here's my ticket for hell," and springing forward picked the burning cartridge out of the box and extinguished it. His expression showed that he fully realized the dangerous situation he was in. His feat—for readiness of thought, quickness of action and fearlessness in danger, with noble spirit of self-sacrifice—is not often excelled.

The work of the battalion is perhaps best narrated and illustrated by the work of the individual officers. There were no spectacular charges, because when the attack commenced the battalion was in reserve billets. Col. Hart-McHarg was known for his thoroughness in everything he undertook or was called upon to perform. In years before this had won for him and Canada the King's Prize at Bisley, and many another trophy at international and interprovincial ranges. In the legal profession this was also a very marked feature of his work, and won for him good success. As a soldier and battalion commander this thoroughness enabled him to hold his position and handle his men so well during that first tremendous onslaught. It was this desire to do everything that could be done that ended in his early death. With clear knowledge of the great danger entailed, he went forward to make a personal reconnaissance and in doing so was mortally wounded.

His trained sight, steady nerve and mental acumen, with his known and tried qualities as a soldier and commander, made his position very difficult to fill under any circumstances, but particularly so in a battle of such duration and over so much ground as the battle of Keerselaere-Grafenstafle-St. Julien was fought.

Since the mobilization of the battalion at Valcartier as the 1st B. C. R. there had always been a very happy spirit and readiness of co-operation amongst all the officers of the battalion. Often this led to results otherwise not attainable. In the midst of the stress of this terrible battle, when the command of the battalion suddenly fell upon the shoulders of Major Odlum, he knew he could absolutely rely and depend on every officer and man to back him up. The result speaks for itself. He fought his battalion effectually to the end. It needed an inflexible will to carry him through the long days and nights, which demanded unflagging vigilance. The spirit that refuses to accept defeat was there and in him.

Captain Harvey

In the most exposed position on Keerselaere was the left half of No. 3 Company, with Captain Harvey in command. Some day we shall hear further details of his gallantry and that of his second, Lieut. Herbert Bromley, who was wounded early in the fight, but refused to leave the trench. He had his wound dressed and continued with his men. Later he was killed. Capt. Harvey was dangerously wounded. When his wound was dressed his men carried him into a shell hole, and with his customary thoughtfulness, he thanked them, and said, "Now, you have done all you can for me, go back and help in the firing line, where you are needed." So they left him, and next thing we hear of him is, in captivity, and then of his death from his wound. Again the spirit that knew not defeat. His remarkable grasp upon detail work was of immense benefit to his company and his battalion.

When Col. McHarg received his wound there were with him Capt. Morrison of the C. R. E.'s, No. 2 Company, and Major Odlum. After making the colonel as comfortable as posible, at great personal risk, Major Odlum left him and made his way to headquarters to get the medical officer's help. The medical officer, Capt. Gibson, at once went out to the Colonel under a very heavy fire, and dressed his wound, and then he succeeded in removing him to the shelter of a ditch and hedge. They had been lying in the hole made by a "Black Maria." They had to lie in the bottom of that ditch for over four hours, until it was dark enough for the stretcher-bearers to go out. This was safely accomplished under the medical officer's guidance, and the colonel was brought in to the dressing station. This is but one instance of the readiness of resource, coolness and cheerfulness in danger and exceptional powers of organization that Capt. Gibson, M.O., 1st B. C. R., has so frequently shown during the war.

Gallant Deeds

There cannot be a better adjutant than Capt. A. S. Gardiner, no one whose excellence of work was more marked. When the German attack was at its height and worst, one of our batteries ran out of shells. The horses in the limbers were killed, and the Germans were coming on fast. There was only one way to save the situation and that was to get shells to the guns somehow. Capt. Gardiner called for volunteers, and taking every available man, led them to the limbers. Each man as he came up loaded himself with shells—the adjutant in the lead—and rushed them to the guns. At point-blank range the battery did such execution that for the time being the enemy were driven back. Needless to say Capt. Gardiner has been recommended. Nothing daunted him. His readiness and cool daring at critical moments inspired others, of all ranks, with his own courage.

It was not given to all to have opportunity of showing what was in them, and though no deed is separately recorded of marked

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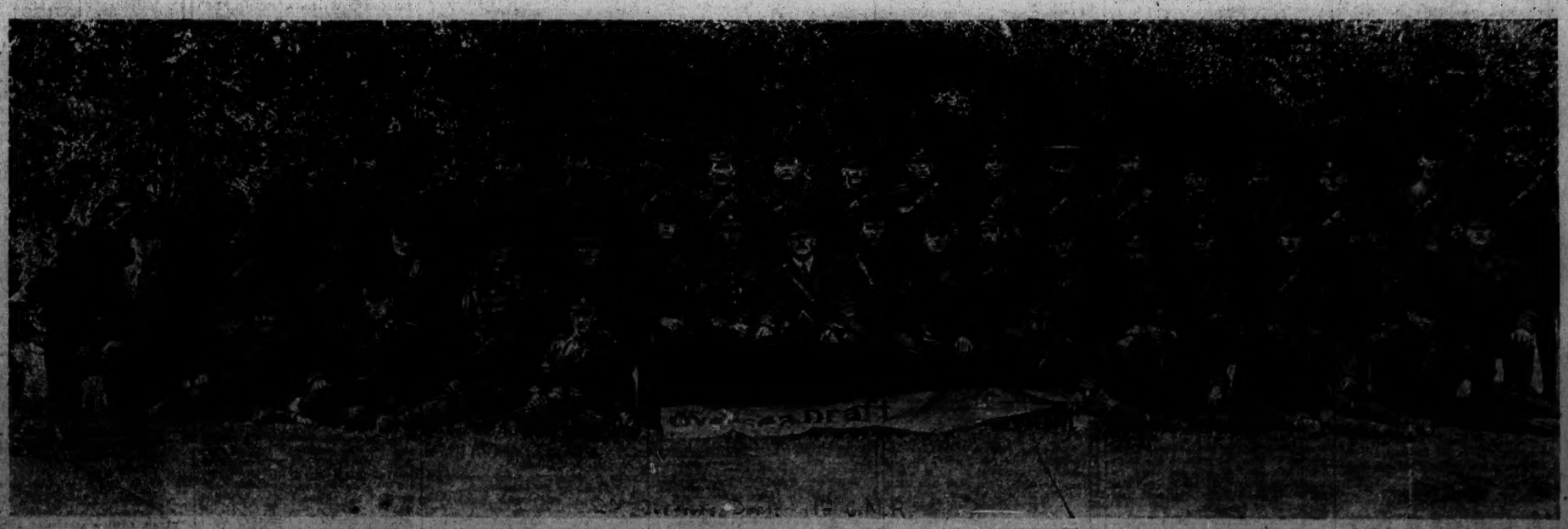

LATEST DRAFT OF REINFORCEMENTS FOR DOMINION'S TROOPS, LIEUT. H. W. M. ROLSTON, OF VICTORIA, IN COMMAND.

C.O.'s and Men of B.C. Base Hospital Go to Front

—Photo by Harold Fleming.

urage, the names of three officers and out very clearly, and because the very high character of their ork: Major R. C. Cooper, Capt. ohn McMillan and Lieut. O. T. rothers.

Major Cooper, at the time of the attle, was captain of No. 3 Company, and was with the right of his mpany and never left them all rough the battle. At times their sition was very critical, and if it d not been for the coolness of e company commander neither nor his men would have come t of the battle. It happened in is way: No. 3 Right Half Company was enveloped on three sides the enemy. At the most critical oment a fog came down, and in e few moments that it lasted ooper led his men to safety. For me time he was out of touch with supports, and was unable to mmunicate with his O. C., but ught his men until relief and reforcements arrived. Only those o have fought through gas and orm of shot and shell for almost week without intermission can derstand the exhausting strain d need for that unbreakable spirit clearly shown by Capt. Cooper this time and again at Festubert Givenchy.

An army can't fight unless it is d, and undoubtedly the 1st B. C. owe a lot to the splendid work the quartermaster and transport cer. Capt. J. C. MacMillan is a C. man, whose success as a oneer of industry in British Colmbia is too well known for me dwell upon now. Lieut. O. T. rothers was known in South rica, both during the Boer War d also to the newspaper world in uth Africa, London and Vancouer. Both of these officers have en mentioned in despatches for eir gallant conduct and splendid ork during the war, and in parular this battle.

Triumph of Transport

Never a day did our men go withut rations. Through shot and ell—through poor bombarded pres, past "Suicide Corner," St. ran, Wieltjhe and St. Julien, to Bombarde Cross-Roads," the transportation secured and took the rations for the battalion. Twice when the quartermasters and transport officers of other battalions had been unable to get to or to find their units, the quartermaster and transport officer of the 1st B. C. R. came to the help of other battalions and supplied their immediate needs. Though the road was constantly under shell fire and often a goodly rain of bullets, the 1st B. C. R. had to be fed. By the courage and efficiency, by this spirit that won't be beaten, they can claim a great victory over tremendous odds. That Ypres-Wieltjhe Road, with its gas shells, high explosive shells and shrapnel, with its constant stream of men and wagons, guns and limbers, horse and motor ambulances, slightly wounded and gassed men, here and there a dead horse, a broken wagon, a shell hole, or bricks and stones, partially blocking the road, would daunt any but the bravest. It was bad by daylight; by night it was a hell.

Amongst the N.C.O.'s and men it is only possible to mention three here, but every one of them were heroes: Sgt. Pearless, Sgt. Dryden and Cpl. Mullins. Sgt. Pearless, when the Germans threatened to envelop the remnants of the battalion, fought his machine gun as though he was giving an exhibition for a "cinne show," and did such execution that he held back the enemy and enabled the boys to retire. Sgt. Dryden displayed marked coolness and efficiency in bringing in Col. Hart-McHarg under heavy fire, and many other men under similar circumstances. Cpl. Mullins, of the bomb-throwers, showed great courage in driving the Germans out of a piece of trench. These three have been awarded the D.C.M.

At Festubert

With sad hearts at the loss of so many gallant comrades the battalion was sent back into reserve to rest. Surely they had lived up to their motto, "Splendor Sine Occasu." After rest, re-equipment and reinforcement, they were transferred to Sir D. Haig's command, the 1st Army, and moved into the Festubert district. They moved into the trenches and fought beside the "Iron Division," the well-known 7th.

On the way to the trenches the battalion passed the Guards coming out, and with them marched H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. He looked just as dirty as any officer who has done his bit in the trenches for the better part of a week. A hearty Canadian cheer would have greeted him had the fact that he was passing been known.

At Festubert two pieces of work were given to the 1st B. C. The first was apparently an ordinary piece of work. "Your battalion will occupy the reserve and support trenches," and they did so. Other battalions were ordered to charge. Other battalions had to repulse counter-attacks. The 1st B. C. had to sit tight in the bottom of the trench, and hour after hour were systematically shelled by an enemy that had the range to a decimal point, and from any point of view the enemy did magnificent shooting, and our boys, with unflinching courage, paid the price in casualties.

The second piece of work was after their own heart—a charge with the 5th Battalion to take the redoubt K. 5. Again the losses in men and officers was heavy, but they won the position assigned to them with gallantry. After this battle only two officers were left with the battalion who had been with them all the time and fought in the three actions as combatant officers, namely, Major Odlum and Capt. Cooper.

Lieut. W. D. Holmes did very gallant work in command of the "bombing party," when the 10th Battalion made a charge. When he heard the 10th coming he sprang up from the shelter to the top of the parapet, shouting at the top of his voice, "Charge, Canadians, charge!" and commenced throwing his bombs for all he was worth. The Germans broke and ran. He was wounded in several places, but hopes soon to be back with "the boys."

At La Bassee

Rest once more that seemed all too short, and off go the now famous 1st Canadian Division to the La Bassee district, the scene of constant hard fighting. Here again the 7th Battalion led the way into the new line of trenches. This is always a position of honor, and, with one exception through the war, this position has been held in the 2nd Infantry Brigade by the 1st B. C. R.

The trenches at Givenchy had been the scene of very hard fighting. Whilst the 1st Brigade held the line they had to make a charge the night before the 2nd Brigade relieved them. The Germans were very angry and sore at their heavy losses, and so furnished a plentiful supply of "hate," i.e., shells—big and little—usually three times a day. The spirit of our boys was very clearly shown. They went to work filling sandbags and building up the parapets blown down by the shelling, and then when night fell Lieut. Brookes organized a work party to bring in the bodies of comrades who had fallen in the charge. The German trenches at this section were only from 40 to 80 yards away from our lines. Not five minutes went by without a flare light going up, when every one of the work party had to fall flat on the ground until the light went out. They succeeded in bringing in fifty-two bodies. Lieut. Owen, son of the Rev. C. C. Owen, very bravely went out and succeeded in bringing in a wounded Canadian, who, poor chap, had been lying out for 48 hours.

A very sad casualty marked the conclusion of this terribly trying and brave night's work. Lieut. R. F. E. Buscombe, who had commanded the work party that had prepared the graves, was standing by as the last word of the service was being said, when he was shot through the heart by a sniper. A brave task completed, and with the words of prayer on his lips, he was summoned to the presence of his Heavenly Father. Lieuts. Brookes and Owen have been recommended for their gallant work that night. Sgt. Fyles and Ptes. McQueen and Hall have been recommended for bravery with this working party. Nothing is more trying to brave men than this call, to lay their comrades to rest.

Heroes All

Now the war-worn warriors are once more back at the scene of their first experiences — "Plug Street." It looks better in green Summer clothing, with wonderful crops nearly ripe. The spirit, the same as of yore, is with them still. They are fighting for wife, mother, sweetheart, sister, their country, their king and their God.

Heroes every one of them. Through wet and cold they have stood on guard. Though "crumbs" are in their clothes and blisters on their toes, they still say, "Are we downhearted? No, No, No!"

History is still being made, and in days to come Canada, with the record of her sons writ large, will lift up her hands to the Great, Good God in thanksgiving for the hero sons who gave themselves that she might be saved from the hand of the enemy and worse than death.

TRAINING AT WORK POINT

Below is a group photograph of officers who have been attending the Royal School of Instruction for lieutenants, under Major J. C. P. Versturme-Bunbury, at Work Point Barracks:

Front Row—Lieuts. R. Carmichael, 11th Regt.; D. H. Hepworth, 104th Regt.; W. T. Haines, 107th Regt.; C. O. Carbould, 104th Regt.; G. B. Benson, 88th Regt.; H. S. Whiteside, 104th Regt.; G. L. Hamilton, 50th Regt.; J. A. Cresswell, 6th Regt.; O. T. Blair, 72nd Regt.

Sitting down—Lieut. H. E. Barnes, 107th Regt.; Capt. E. Mallandaine, 107th Regt.; Sgt.-Major Youngman, instructor; Major J. C. P. Versturme-Bunbury, R.S.I.; Lieuts. A. G. Forster, 68th Regt.; James T. Lee, 11th Regt.; F. J. Dawson, 102nd Regt.

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Brest-Litovsk Considered Russia's Greatest Fortress

Central Depot and Distributing Point of Military Supplies, Believed Impregnable, Is Evacuated as Incident in Grand Duke's Strategy —Is Famous Name in History

Brest-Litovsk, captured by the Germans, is one of if not the greatest fortresses which has ever been manned by the Russians, and was believed at the beginning of the war, to be practically impregnable. It was the central point in the Muscovite's European defence and offence, and one of the most important depots for, and distributing points of military supplies near the western frontier. Brest-Litovsk, rated by military critics as a much more important strategic point than Warsaw, around which, according to recent dispatches, the armies of Russia were to be regrouped for the defence of the Empire, is described in a geographical sketch just issued by the U. S. National Geographical Society:

"Brest-Litovsk, a powerful fortified Russian stronghold, is one of the oldest important fortresses in Northern Europe, and its history has been a changeful and stirring one.

Captured in 1020

"It is first mentioned on the occasion of its capture by Boleslav the Brave, of Poland, in 1020. Next, Casimir the Just, of Poland, built a tight castle here, in country where the outposts of several nations met. Princes of Galicia, Volhynia, Lithuania, grand masters of the Teutonic knights, Tartar chieftains and kings of Poland held and stormed the city in turn, and from its fortifications ravaged the region around.

"Tartars swept over the place like a plague in 1241, moving most of the town into its muddy river. The Teutonic knights devastated its suburbs in 1397, and Mengly Ghyrey, Khan of the Crimea, burned the city with conscientious attention to detail, his visitation coming in the latter part of the fifteenth century. Polish diets were held here. It was out of the deliberations of a council of bishops from Western Russia, held at Brest in 1594, that the Uniat rite was born. The Swedes gave the city its last thorough pillaging in 1706. At the second partition of Poland, it was incorporated in Russia, and patience, technique and money have been lavished upon it by the great northern empire to make it as near impregnable as possible.

Big Railway Centre

"Brest-Litovsk is situated at the junction of the navigable rivers Bug and Mukhovets, and at the point of confluence stands the city fortress. It lies upon the right bank of the Bug, here sharply cut, where the river turns from north to northeast. Railways from Odessa, Kiev, Moscow, Warsaw, Vilna and East Prussia intersect here. Further it lies upon the inland waterway from the Baltic to the Black Sea, the course of which is connected up by canal behind Brest, between the upper Mukhovets River and the Pripet River. Thus, the city is served by a well nigh perfect system of communications, reaching to the north, the east, the south and to points in the interior between, and expanding again from Brest toward the northeast, the west and southwest.

"The older fortifications lie about one mile east of Brest, and have a circumference of four miles. the field works have been kept up to date, and everything possible has been done by Russia to make them unconquerable. Brest-Litovsk was regarded in Russia as the most powerful individual stronghold in the empire."

Provisional Lieutenants Have Finished Course of Instruction at Work Point

—Photo by R. L. Pounds.

OFFICERS WHO TOOK EXAMINATIONS FOR LIEUTENANTS' CERTIFICATES AT MILITARY HEADQUARTERS ON FRIDAY. THEY HAVE BEEN TRAINING UNDER MAJOR VERSTURME-BUNBURY FOR THE PAST SIX WEEKS.

RED CROSS HAS SUCCESSFUL WEEK

Sum of $40,000 Has Already Been Spent by Victoria and District Branch—Increasing Demands.

Last week was one of the most satisfactory in the annals of the Victoria and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society. During the past seven days a great many cash contributions and consignments of articles were received at local headquarters, Temple Building.

The membership has increased during the past week as follows: Life, five; annual, twelve, associate, thirteen; total, $162.

The following donations were received by collection: North Cowichan district committee, Duncan, $100; Sidney district committee, per N. F. Tester, $160; Mr. F. D. Johnson, Thoburn, $5; children of quarantine station, William Head, per Dr. Brown, $18.90; Women's Auxiliary, Langford, per Mrs. Wills, $24; "Mother Goose Nursery," per Mrs. J. C. Newberry, $50; Sir John Jackson Athletic Club, $32.05; Empress Hotel box, $9.11; Red and Blue Cross Flower Guild, $26.15; Mr. Holland, $1; Dr. M. Raynor, $15; Mrs. Neame, $1; Miss Stewart, $2; Capt. J. W. Troup, $10; Mrs. G. H. Wynne, $5; Miss S. M. Thornton, proceeds of sales, $5.81; Major Nelson, monthly, $5; Mr. F. F. Hedges, monthly, $5; Visitor, $1; Visitor, $1; Anonymous, $5; bank interest on account to July 31, $23.

The cash receipts last week totalled $655.52.

Supplies were received from the following: The Sister Agnes Keyser Chapter I. O. D. E., Chemainus, 72 bandages, 600 mouth wipers, 48 handkerchiefs, 6 pairs hand-knitted socks, 42 pairs woolen socks, 12 fomentation wringers, 72 face cloths, 4 tray cloths, 4 sheets, old linen and housewife; Mr. Y. N. Harvey, 30 shirts; Service Club, Eastern Star, 54 triangular, 96 roller and 12 eye bandages, 24 face cloths, 6 suits pyjamas, 7 day shirts; Purple Star of the I. O. B. A., 2 shirts, 72 roller and 8 triangular bandages; Mr. Schmeelke, 24 cases knitting needles; Sweeney & McConnell, Bristol board and printing; Mrs. Stern, Empress Hotel, 1 scarf, 1 pair wristlets; Miss Williams, ward slippers; the Misses Andrews, face cloths.

Socks were donated by Miss Nesta Stewart, Galiano Island; Mrs. Hallins, Mrs. R. Porter, Miss Renton, Miss Knapton, Mrs. Fleming, New York; Mrs. McConnell.

Twenty-one cases of supplies were shipped away last week.

Winter Campaign

Another Winter campaign is imminent and a renewal of activity will be necessary to supply the men in the trenches. Warm shirts, dressing gowns and hospital suits will be needed for the sick and wounded at all the hospitals. Kit bags and heel-less socks are also asked for in considerable quantities. Heel-less socks are made with a rib of ten inches, plain, ten inches; toes are the same as those of other socks.

"Hold-alls," or kit bags, are also requested by the authorities. These are made of course cotton or canvas about eighteen inches long by twenty-one inches wide, with rings at corners to hang by. Pockets are made in them to hold comb, tooth brushes and paste, while the remainder of the contents should be towels, wash cloth, soap, pair of pyjamas, shirt, socks, soft slippers, writing paper, envelopes, pencil, shaving requisites and handkerchiefs.

It is hoped to be able to forward a case of kit bags shortly to one or other of the Canadian hospitals.

Word has been received that the three motor ambulances donated by Victorians to the No. 5 General Hospital have been duly delivered. It will be remembered that many cities in the Province are holding a tag day in aid of the hospital. Victoria is not co-operating with the other cities because this branch of the Red Cross Society has already collected $1,690 in cash and has forwarded three motor ambulances, an outlay amounting to no less than $8,000.

Since the inception of the Victoria and district branch the sum of $11,[illegible] has been sent in cash to headquarters thus making a total contribution of over $20,000. Besides these cash donations, over $7,500 has been expended for the purchase of material necessary for Red Cross work. Allowing a very conservative estimate, it may be reckoned that upwards of $10,000 has been subscribed locally for Red Cross service since April 1. The public will readily understand why a tag day was not deemed necessary at this time, though one may be held a little later on, as the Winter campaign, which will soon be inaugurated, will greatly increase the demands at the front.

CANADIAN GIRL GUIDES

No. 1 Company, Guide-Mistress H. Leighton: drill on Thursday next at St. John's schoolroom, corner Mason and Quadra Streets, 7 p. m.

No. 3 Company, Captain G. King: drill on Tuesday next at St. John's schoolroom at 7 p. m. The tailoress will be present to measure for uniforms.

No. 2 Company, Captain F. Irving: drill on Monday next at 828 Cook Street at 3:30 p. m. Tailoress will be present to measure for uniforms.

No. 4 Company, Captain Roberts: drill on Tuesday next at the old schoolroom, Fort Bay Road, at 7 p. m.

Girls wishing to joint the movement may apply to the captains of the above drills. Age limit, 11 to 18.

FIREARMS PROHIBITION

Protest From Motor Car Owners Against Enactment—Cost Widening of Gorge Road

The board of governors of the Island Automobile Association met yesterday morning and passed a resolution protesting to the Attorney-General against the enactment prohibiting motorists carrying firearms in their cars before September 15. The association claims that those going east should be allowed the same privileges as those using horse-drawn vehicles.

The association also decided to write the Saanich Council asking that the Gorge Road from the city limits to Craigflower Bridge should be widened to 66 feet, and that the paving shall be completed by Nov. 1916.

The Island Automobile Association is offering a prize of $10 to the person who submits what is considered the best design for an emblem for members of the association to carry attached to the front of their cars. The board of governors will be the judges, and all designs must be submitted to the secretary at the offices of the Victoria and Island Development League Bureau, Pemberton Block, by September 15.

For the guidance of competitors the information is given that the design should be applicable to Vancouver Island and the Automobile Association. Designs can be drawn on paper, with suggestions as to how it should be carried out in metal.

Every citizen ought to contribute to the defence of his country according to his capacity for service, and it was up to the government to tell every man what sacrifice the government wanted from him. The man who was more fitted for military service than for any other service ought to give military service to the state.—Mike Griffin.

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$1.95

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$1.75

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Men's Suits	$4,348.66
Men's Overcoats	1,110.38
Men's Raincoats	531.10
Men's Trousers	519.94
Smoking Jackets	176.45
Hats	1,788.77
Caps	177.27
Wool Gloves	42.50
Leather Gloves	76.08
Sweaters and Sweater Coats	359.09
Fancy Vests	168.14
Umbrellas	367.05
Underwear	2,581.75
Heavy Shirts	322.94
Dress Shirts	2,132.99
Socks	376.53
Mufflers	269.99
White Waiter Coats	41.66
Leather Belts	65.78
Handkerchiefs	257.45
Neckwear	468.28
Collars	371.90
Walking Sticks	94.42
Christmas Fancy Goods	99.54
Smallware	293.17
Jewelery, etc.	379.72
	$17,921.48

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RED CROSS TENNIS ENDED YESTERDAY

Large Numbers Watched Play in Final Matches—Fund Will Benefit by Considerable Sum.

A large gathering attended at the courts of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club yesterday afternoon to watch the play in the finals of the tournament which has been in progress in aid of the Red Cross for the last ten days. Some excellent tennis was seen during the afternoon and there was no lack of excitement, several of the finishing contests being very evenly contested and the issue in doubt right up to the end.

In the semi-finals of the men's singles, Jephson beat Lindsay, 6-1, 4-6, 6-3; the former's experience in tournament play standing him in good stead against his more nervous opponent. The first set was an easy one for the winner, but Lindsay made a great effort in the second, winning by 6 games to 4, but was unable to take more than 3 games in the final set.

Humphreys and Johnston replayed their match which had gone two sets the evening before, and the former won after a long struggle, in which Johnston played steady defensive tennis.

In the finals Jephson had an easy win over Humphreys.

In the ladies' singles Miss Idiens took the match from Miss Neame in two straight sets of 6-3 each, playing her usual steady game, getting everything back and keeping a good length. Miss Neame, her opponent, has shown great promise in this tournament and is certainly one of the coming lady players of the city.

In the ladies' doubles, Mrs. Clute and Miss Rickaby proved a strong combination. Mrs. Clute's steady work on the back line and her sister's brilliant net work proved too much for Miss Pitts and Miss MacDowall, who lost by 6-2, 7-5.

The mixed doubles between Mr. and Mrs. Garrett and Lindsay and Miss Rickaby was anybody's game at any point, as can be seen by the score, 7-5, 9-7, in favor of the last-named pair. Miss Rickaby was playing in very good style and proved a great factor in the winning of the match. This lady is certainly destined to become before very long one of the strongest lady players in the Province. Garrett was not at his best in this match, being very erratic.

B. Schwengers and Brown proved unbeatable in the men's doubles, Schwengers was playing in his best form and his veteran partner was also at his best, the combination being much too strong for McSwain and Walton.

Towards the close of the afternoon an exhibition game was played by C. and B. Schwengers against McSwain and Garrett. The first-named pair did as they liked with their opponents in the first set and won 6-1. In the second set, Conrad Schwengers was given the lion's share of the work, while his brother eased up noticeably, and the set went to McSwain and Garrett, 7-5, the game being then abandoned owing to the lateness of the hour. There were several good rallies, but it was obvious to all who saw the game that, as far as Victoria is concerned Bernie Schwengers is at present in a class all his own.

Arrangements Excellent

The arrangements for the comfort of spectators were excellent. Tea was served in an enclosure near the entrance under the supervision of Mrs. Genge, assisted by the ladies of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club, and the committee desires to thank all those who assisted by donating prizes and otherwise in making the tournament such an undoubted success. Play was interesting all through, and the Red Cross will benefit considerably from the patronage received from the players' friends and the general public.

A very enjoyable tournament was brought to a conclusion by the presentation of the prizes to the winners by Mrs. Garrett, who performed the ceremony in a very graceful manner. The final results follows.

Tournament Finals

In the men's singles, Jephson beat Humphreys, 6-2, 6-4.

In the men's doubles, B. Schwengers and Brown beat McSwain and Walton, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1.

In the ladies' singles, Miss Idiens beat Miss Neame, 6-3, 6-3.

In the ladies' doubles, Mrs. Clute and Miss Rickaby beat Miss Pitts and Miss MacDowall, 6-2, 7-5.

In the mixed doubles, Lindsay and Miss Rickaby beat Garrett and Mrs. Garrett, 7-5, 9-7.

ROYAL CITY WINS LACROSSE GAME

Mann Cup, Emblematic of Canadian Amateur Championship, Is Transferred to New Westminster.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Aug. 28.—The failure of Vancouver senior amateurs to bring more than ten men over for the game with the Royal City amateurs rendered the game worthless as a spectacle, the local lads winning by 11 goals to 1. Still the Canadian amateur lacrosse championship was therefore transferred from Vancouver to Westminster, and if the Mann Cup stood for anything more than a legal suit at the present time, it would be given lodging by the side of the Minto Cup.

The Dominion arbiters in amateurs have promised a fine piece of silverware to replace Joe Lally's discarded pot, but whether any trophy comes along or not, the fans of New Westminster have the gratification of knowing that the professional and amateur lacrosse championships of the Dominion are harbored here, very probably, for keeps.

The V. A. C. perhaps had a glimmering chance of retaining the honors they have held ever since going East and whipping the young Torontos, but when they arrived with only ten men, the bolt was shot and it was all over but the shouting. Manager Gifford hated to see twelve men go up against ten, but too much hinged on the game to take the risks when the responsibility was on Vancouver, and he kept his full team on the field until they piled up a lead which put the Goodchilds out of the running.

The teams—

Westminster	Position	Vancouver
Stoddart	Goal	Davis
Patchell	Point	Gillanders
Nelson	Cover	Campbell
Atkinson	1st Defence	McLeod
Gregory	2nd Defence	McConechie
Battson	3rd Defence	Peterson
Sahgster	Centre	Freeman
Huff	1st Home	Hill
Feeney	2nd Home	—
Pentland	3rd Home	—
Storme	Outside	McWhinnie
Murray	Inside	[illegible]

Referees—Pete Latham and Don Digby, New Westminster.

Goal Summary:

First quarter—1, Pentland, Westminster, 3:00; 2, Storme, Westminster, 2:05.

Second quarter—3, Murray, Westminster, 5:45; 4, Storme, Westminster, 3:30; 5, Storme, Westminster, 1:05; 6, Pentland, Westminster, 3:00; 7, Pentland, Westminster, 1:15.

Third quarter—8, Pentland, Westminster, 6:05; 9, Storme, Westminster, 1:10; 10, Freeman, Vancouver, :45.

Fourth quarter—11, Storme, Westminster, 4:45; 12, Battson, Westminster, :15.

SPORTING MATCH IS WON BY VICTORIA

Victory in Last Over of Game After Declaration by Civilians in Second Innings—Laurence in Good Form.

An excellent game was seen at the Jubilee Hospital ground yesterday, played between the Civil Service C. C. and the Victoria C. C., which ended in a win for Victoria by 7 wickets. Although 32 runs behind on the first innings, a very sporting declaration by Captain Freeman, of the Civilians, in the second innings, gave the Victorias a chance to win, with 55 minutes in which to make the necessary 112 runs for victory, a feat which they accomplished in the last over of the match.

Laurence was in great form for the home side, making 35 and 51 in his two innings in his usual free style. Speak did fine work for the Civilians, making 51 runs and taking five wickets. The full score was as follows:

Civil Service—First Innings

L. D. Freeman, b Vaughan	15
N. T. Pite, c Wyles, b Giles	14
W. Speak, b Verrall	51
P. N. Welch, c Laurence, b Giles	0
H. W. Eades, l b w, b Giles	0
S. T. Morley, b Verrall	9
M. B. Lloyd, c H. Wyles, b Mitchell	4
F. C. Lowe, not out	12
C. A. Booth, b Mitchell	0
J. Mountain, l b w, b Verrall	5
R. Hembro, b Mitchell	0
Extras	6
Total	116

Second Innings

L. D. Freeman, c Booth, b Wenman	15
N. T. Pite, not out	1
H. W. Eades, c Mitchell, b Laurence	26
S. T. Morley, run out	11
M. B. Lloyd, not out	6
F. C. Lowe, c and b L. Wyles	0
C. A. Booth, c Gurney, b H. Wyles	4
J. Mountain, b Wenman	12
Extras	4
Total for six wickets	79

Victoria C. C.—First Innings

R. H. Vaughan, b Welch	13
A. Booth, c Pite, b Welch	0
A. T. Mitchell, b Welch	1
L. Verrall, b Speak	1
L. A. Gurney, c Lowe, b Speak	1
J. Wenman, b Welch	13
L. Wyles, b Speak	2
A. Hill, c Pite, b Speak	5
A. B. Laurence, b Welch	35
H. Wyles, not out	8
J. Giles, b Speak	0
Extras	1
Total	84

Second Innings

L. A. Gurney, b Lowe	16
J. Wenman, not out	17
A. Hill, not out	30
A. B. Laurence, b Morley	51
J. Giles, b Pite	6
Extras	5
Total for three wickets	125

MOTOR BOAT RACE WON BY VITESSE

Excellent Time Made in Spite of Fog—Close Finish Shows Fine Work of Handicapper

The big motor boat race from Seattle to Cadboro Bay for the Hathaway and Brentwood Hotel Cups was won yesterday by Edgar Ames' Vitesse; the Geoduck, owned by Commodore Norris of the Seattle Yacht Club was second, and the Curlew, owned by Prescott Oakes, was third.

The first named boat made the distance in 4 hours and 30 seconds, which is excellent time, especially considering the misty and smoky weather in the Straits, and the skipper deserves a deal of credit for his skilful navigation. The two other boats were hung up for a while in the fog, but made the finish within 42 seconds of each other, which is a splendid tribute to the skill of the handicapper.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

Standing of the Clubs

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Spokane	78	64	.554
Seattle	72	62	.537
Tacoma	67	68	.505
Vancouver	63	66	.409

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 28.—Vancouver lost this afternoon's game to Spokane by a score of 6 to 3. Arlett was hit hard in the second inning, when the visitors scored four runs. Noyes pitched great ball for eight innings, but in the ninth the locals bunched hits for two runs.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Vancouver	3	10	3
Spokane	6	10	3

Batteries—Arlett and Hattley; Noyes and Brenegan.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 28.—Batting Kaufmann out of the box in the second, getting six hits and five runs off him before he was supplanted by Hendrix, Seattle won today's game from Tacoma 7 to 4.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	7	7	2
Tacoma	4	8	2

Batteries—Mails and Cadman; Kaufmann, Hendrix and Stevens.

ALBION C. C. SCORES AN EASY VICTORY

Mr. F. A. Sparks Compiles 72 Without Giving a Chance—Garrison and Five C.'s Are Winners.

The result of yesterday's matches in the Cricket Association's cup series came out according to the forecast. The best match was that played on the Garrison ground between the 5th Regiment and the Albions, and, although the 5th made a fine fight of it, and scored the very respectable total of 145 before they were all dismissed, the strong batting side they were playing against were able to discount their score for the loss of four wickets only.

For the Regiment, Somner played a very good innings, which netted him 66, and Gnr. Earnshaw made 23. Orr was in great form for the Albions, making 68 runs and taking eight wickets for 77. Sparks was not able to get more than one wicket in the thirteen overs he bowled, but he kept the runs down and made a fine score when he went in first for the Albions, getting 72 and not giving a chance until after he had passed 50.

The Regiment's fielding was excellent, but the same could hardly be said of that of the winning team, who spoilt an otherwise excellent display of cricket by slovenly work in the field. The full score follows:

5th Regiment

Cpl. Bush, b Sparks	12
Gnr. Somner, c Lagerwell, b Orr	66
Lieut. Denby, b Orr	10
Lieut. Westwood, b Stephenson	11
Gnr. Wells, c Smith, b Orr	1
Gnr. Earnshaw, b Orr	23
Gnr. Poisson, c Ward, b Orr	0
Sgt. Bell, b Orr	0
Gnr. Green, c Lagerwell, b Orr	1
Gnr. Scrider, c Smith, b Orr	16
Gnr. Attwell, not out	5
Extras	1
Total	146

Albion C. C.

E. W. Ismay, c Green, b Wells	3
F. A. Sparks, c Green, b Bell	72
E. P. Ward, c Westwood, b Wells	14
H. R. Orr, run out	68
H. B. Hudson, not out	2
Extras	5
Total	164

Bowling Analysis

5th Regiment—	O.	W.	R.
Ismay	6	0	15
Sparks	13	1	31
Orr	13	8	77
Stephenson	5	1	24
Albion C. C.—	O.	W.	R.
Attwell	6	0	22
Wells	10	2	37
Scrider	8	0	26
Denby	2	0	13
Earnshaw	2	0	19
Westwood	3	0	15
Bell	2.5	1	27

The Garrison very wisely reconsidered its decision to resign from the Association rather than play on the Heywood Avenue ground according to schedule, and had an easy win over the Civic Service without the advantage of playing on the home pitch.

An innings and twenty-five runs was the amount by which the soldiers defeated the city's representatives. The Civics played a man short all through the game, and were without the services of several of their best regular players, and they did well to get the strong batting Garrison side out for 104, having the first five of their wickets down for 44. The loss of a man in the field left a big hole, and certainly made a difference.

W. A. Tucker came out with an excellent bowling analysis, taking 7 wickets for 34 runs for the Civics. Kelly and Askey made short work of the Civic batsmen. The score:

Garrison C.C.

Gnr. Needham c Lee b Tucker	3
Lt. Montgomery c Lee b H. Bosson	20
Q.M.S. Askey b Tucker	0
Sgt.-Mjr. Roberson b H. Bosson	10
R. H. Pooley b Lee	5
Gnr. Beals, not out	18
Capt. Martin c Rawnsley b Tucker	22
Lt. Clarke c Rawnsley b Tucker	0
Cpl. Kelly b Tucker	6
S.-Sgt. Wyndham b Tucker	1
Sgt. Stevens b Tucker	10
Extras	9
Total	104

Civic Service

First Innings

H. Bosson c Martin b Kelly	2
J. Waterhouse b Askey	10
Lieut. Roberts b Askey	2
W. A. Tucker st Needham b Askey	1
F. Bosson b Kelly	1
F. J. Clapperton b Kelly	0
J. A. Lee b Askey	7
H. Whiteoak, not out	0
F. Rawnsley b Askey	1
W. W. Northcott b Kelly	1
Extras	6
Total	32

Second Innings

H. Bosson c Needham b Askey	5
J. Waterhouse b Kelly	1
Lt. Roberts b Askey	5
W. A. Tucker c Pooley b Askey	6
F. Bosson b Kelly	9
F. J. Clapperton b Kelly	1
J. A. Lee did not bat.	
H. Whiteoak c Pooley b Askey	8
F. Rawnsley b Kelly	1
W. W. Northcott not out	4
Extras	7
Total	47

Bowling Analysis

Garrison C.C.—	O.	W.	R.
W. A. Tucker	11.5	7	34
J. A. Lee	9	1	32
H. Bosson	5	2	17
F. J. Clapperton	4	0	11
Civic Service—1st innings—			
Cpl. Kelly	7.1	4	8
Q.M.S. Askey	7	5	23
2nd innings—			
Cpl. Kelly	8	4	16
Q.M.S. Askey	9	4	24

The Five C's had no difficulty in strengthening their position at the expense of the Congos. Collett was the only man able to do anything against the bowling of Radcliffe and Greeley. Going in first, he carried his bat through the innings for 23, but could get no one to stay with him, the next highest score being eight by Locke, and the whole side being out for 44.

The Five C's made 176, three of their men retiring after making good scores, and Payne, the captain, did not bat. The score was as follows:

Congregational C.C.

A. E. Collett, not out	23
H. Edwards b Greeley	1
[illegible] b Radcliffe	3
R. R. Lock c Marshall b Radcliffe	8
W. R. Forgiter c R. Lee b Radcliffe	1
A. Moffatt b Greeley	4
P. Cowman b Greeley	0
J. Rutherford b Greeley	0
R. W. Gray b Radcliffe	0
Extras	4
Total	44

Five C's

Rev. W. Keeling b Erickson	4
J. Nicholls b Collett	0
R. V. Lee c Collett b Erickson	9
R. S. May retired	30
H. G. Greeley c Collett b Erickson	29
S. Marshall c Cowman b Edwards	1
H. S. Radcliffe retired	38
Gordon Leeming, retired	39
J. S. W. Clewes not out	5
R. H. Barker c Erickson b Lock	6
F. C. Payne did not bat.	
Extras	15
Total	176

MISS A. GRIFFIN WINS LONG SWIM

Out of Eight Starters Only Two Finish—Water Was Too Cold for Majority of Competitors.

Eight competitors faced the starter for the long distance swim from James Bay to the Gorge yesterday afternoon, as follows: Miss D. Moore, V. L. S. C., Miss Audrey Griffin, B. Robinson and J. Leslie Passmore of the V. A. S. C., John Hedley, Archie McKinnon, Angus McKinnon, of the Y. M. C. A., and J. P. Hedley, of the B. S. C.

Hedley took the lead, with the ladies a short distance behind, and reached half way in 41 minutes, Miss Griffin and Miss Moore being close behind in 44 minutes, and Robinson following in 49 minutes. The water was very cold and all the other competitors had dropped out on this account before the half-way mark was reached. When Hedley was within 100 yards of the finish he was forced to leave the water owing to a severe attack of cramp while swimming a close second to Miss Griffin, who finished the winner in good style, in 1 hour, 20 minutes, 20 seconds; Miss Moore coming in second exactly 4½ minutes behind, the two ladies being the only two starters to finish.

Miss Audrey Griffin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Griffin, of Gorge Road, and recently won the B. C. ladies' 50 yards championship. Mr. H. E. Newton officiated as timekeeper and kept the course.

REGIMENTAL BOXING

Jack Larrigan Loses to Former Indian Army Champion—Sport Popular in Vernon Camp

VERNON, B. C., Aug. 28.—Jack Roberts, former lightweight champion in the British Indian army, and at present a trooper in the 11th C. M. R., defeated Jack Larrigan, motor cycle dispatch rider of the 47th Battalion, in ten good, clean rounds of as fast amateur boxing as fistic fans could wish to see, by a decision, on Thursday night.

Roberts had it on Larrigan all the way. He followed in his blows, and pulled away from the hard rights which Larrigan sometimes landed.

S. M. Sheridan refereed the fight, declaring the first, fourth and seventh draws, giving Roberts the others, with a shade in the eighth and tenth. Roberts won on aggressiveness, clean blows and straight lefts.

Trooper Tommy Moore, formerly of Nanaimo, and now of the 11th C. M. R., fought Trooper Tom Walters, of the same regiment, to a draw.

George Ogilvie, machine gunner of the 47th, put George Hexley, of the 11th C. M. R., formerly chief of police in Quesnel, away in 1 min. 55 sec., in the first round of a scheduled four-round fight.

Johnny O'Leary and his next opponent, Hector McDonald, of the 11th, were introduced to the crowd.

Nearly every officer and man in the camp attended for the main bout, over which keen rivalry had developed.

WILLARD SETS HIS PRICE FOR FIGHTS

New Champion Will Accept All Challenges at the Set Figure of $30,000 a Head

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Jess Willard, the heavyweight champion of the world, and his manager, Tom Jones, have decided that, although the cow boy's exhibitions with a circus are a decided financial success, the public would like to see Willard in action. After reaching this conclusion Manager Jones is willing to allow the champion to enter the ring, providing someone offers $30,000 for Willard's share of the receipts. In fact, according to the big fighter's official announcement, he is willing to take on each and every one of the contenders for his title, with three weeks between each contest, providing, of course, that Willard's share in each and every bout is guaranteed as $30,000.

For some time efforts to get Willard in the ring with some one of the white contenders for the heavyweight title has met with the announcement that the public throughout the country was anxious to see Willard, and his connection with a circus gave more people an opportunity to see him than would be able to witness him in action in a ring.

Suddenly Manager Jones decided that the public wants to see Willard in action. Manager Jones says that he had been informed that Billy Gibson offered $30,000 for Willard's share to box Jim Coffey. Willard will at once accept the offer and will take on Moran, Weinert, Reich and all other white contenders at the same price. In other words, Willard accepts all the challenges hurled at him, and is now merely waiting for offers for the matches.

EASTERN LACROSSE

MONTREAL, Aug. 28.—Shamrocks were defeated by the Nationals, on the latter's own grounds, this afternoon in a fast and exciting game of lacrosse, by a score of 10 to 3.

At Cornwall the Montreal team had little trouble in defeating Cornwall by a score of 8 to 3 in a game that was devoid of unpleasant incidents.

In the Toronto League, Tecumsehs beat Brantford by 7 to 2. The game was very close and exciting in the first and second periods, but the Indians had things more their own way after that.

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LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS

National

At Brooklyn (First game)—Pittsburg, 1; Brooklyn, 2. (Second game)—Pittsburg, 0; Brooklyn, 2.

At Boston—Cincinnati, 0; Boston, 2.

At New York—Chicago, 0; New York, 2.

At Philadelphia—St. Louis-Philadelphia, postponed, rain

American

At Cleveland (First game)—Boston, 5; Cleveland, 3. (Second game)—Boston, 3; Cleveland, 1.

At Detroit (First game)—New York, 1; Detroit, 0. (Second game)—New York, 2; Detroit, 6.

At St. Louis—Washington, 1; St. Louis 2.

At Chicago—Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.

Federal

At St. Louis—Kansas City, 2; St. Louis, 3.

At Buffalo—Brooklyn, 2; Buffalo, 7. (Called end 5th; rain.)

All other games postponed; rain.

Coast

At Los Angeles (First game)—San Francisco, 5; Vernon, 2. (Second game)—San Francisco, 4; Vernon, 8. (11 innings.)

At Oakland—Salt Lake, 1; Oakland, 5.

At Portland—Los Angeles, 2; Portland, 2.

Scottish League Football

GLASGOW, Aug. 28.—Following are the results of the scheduled games in the Scottish football league played today on the grounds of the first mentioned club:

Aberdeen, 4; Dumbarton, 2.

Moncton, 3; Dundee, 1.

Celtic, 5; Airdrieonians, 0.

Hearts of Midlothian, 3; Hamilton Academical, 0.

Queens Park Rangers, 2; St. Mirren, 1.

Clyde, 1; Raith Rovers, 0.

Rangers, 4; Third Lanark, 0.

Motherwell, 2; Partick Thistles, 2.

Falkirk, 0; Kilmarnock, 0.

Hibernians, 3; Ayr United, 2.

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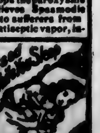

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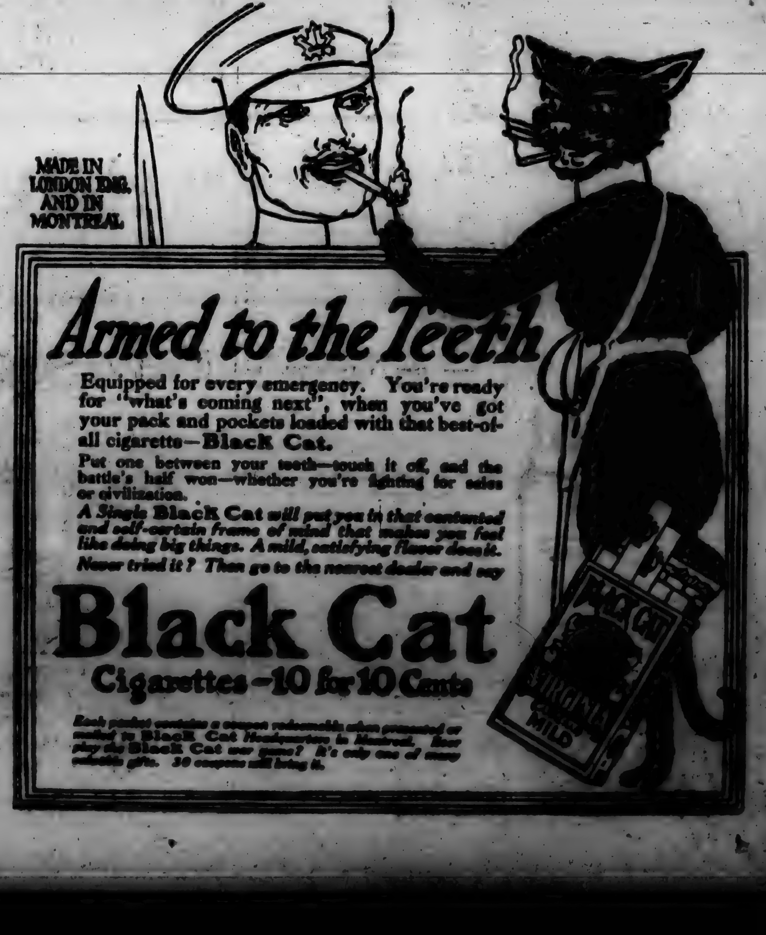

STRATEGY LEARNED FROM ANCIENT CHINA

Von Hindenburg Follows System of Frederick the Great, Who in Turn Borrowed It From General Loutao.

Hindenburg, the greatest of German generals, is a student of the campaigns of Frederick the Great, whom he takes as his great military model; and Frederick in turn was indebted to a Frenchman, Father de Guignes, for bringing to his attention the "Military Maxims of General Loutao," who more than 3,000 years ago laid down the military principles that Hindenburg is following today. Loutao was unknown to Western civilization until 1767. In that year Father de Guignes, who had been in China as a missionary for some years and had mastered the tongue, was permitted to study and to translate into French the memoirs of the Chinese general. This was an unusual privilege, for the book was considered one of the Five Holy Books of the Chinese. After being translated into French it was thrown into German, and thus came into the hands of Frederick, who made a profound study of it, and based his own strategy upon that of the illustrious Chinaman. Some of the maxims have been translated into English, and appear in a recent issue of the American Infantry Journal.

3,000 Years Old

It is interesting to read them, and to reflect that after all in the great essentials of strategy little has been invented by all the famous generals who have followed Loutao, and that the best of them have merely improved upon and developed ideas, which probably were inherited from a still more distant past. Says Loutao:

"There are four things to which a general must give careful attention. (1) Time—the establishment of his reputation; (2) place—he must be familiar with the country in which he operates; (3) opportunity, which, if he is skilled, he will be able to create; (4) the condition of the troops as regards strength, ability and morale. War should be so conducted that one need not wage it again for the same cause. Those who master the true principles of the art of war will be able to subsist their armies at the expense of the enemy. An army should be so disposed that all the corps of which it is composed can mutually support and defend each other whenever requisite.

The troops in the right wing and those in the left must fulfil for these in the centre the same function that the wings of a bird fulfil for its body. Its wings impart to the bird the ability to pass quickly from one point to another and enable it to move in any direction at will. The troops posted on the right and those posted on the left should enable a general quickly to make any disposition of his army that he may see fit. The mobility and strength of birds are generally proportionate to the size and strength of their wings. This should likewise be true of an army. The two wings of an army should be composed of the most mobile, the best disciplined, the most experienced troops.

"If you desire to profit by your army, to make it invincible, model it after the snake Chouaijeu, which, when struck on the head, immediately brings its tail forward to defend its head; when struck on the tail, the head is ready to defend that appendage; when struck on any part of the body, head and tail combine for the defence of the part attacked. But someone may, perhaps, question whether this can be done with an army, and I answer that it can, it should, and it must be done. To post an army in order of battle is not a difficult matter, but it is difficult to fight without deviating from the original plan that was decided upon."

The Perfect General

Loutao advises generals to act promptly upon their own judgment if events arise which, in their own opinion, were not foreseen when the orders were given by the prince or chiefs in command. He reminds them that the great object of the prince is, after all, to win battles, not to have his orders carried out. "A good general," he says, "should never say that he will do a certain thing, come what may, for his course of action should be determined solely by the situation." At the same time, he has high praise for the general who can fight out a battle in all its details the way he had arranged to fight it, and will not let accidents change the course he has determined on. There is one maxim that appears to have been studied to better purpose in Germany than among the Allies: "The troops must be well instructed in all the details of their work; they must be commanded with firmness and rewarded with glory. Make gallant deeds count; glorify them. This is the easiest way to flatter men, encourage them and spurs them on to great deeds."

Loutao says that the great art of generalship consists in keeping the enemy in the dark as to when he is to be attacked. When the general is unable to find out through his spies and scouts the strength of the enemy, he should make an attack with a small force. By the way in which this attack is repulsed he will be able to tell, if he is fit for his job, just how strong is the army opposed to him. Loutao did not believe in giving battle unless the odds were overwhelmingly on his side, for he says: "If your army is equal in numbers approximately to that of the enemy, nine of the ten advantages of the terrain should be on your side. Employ all your mental resources, all your physical efforts, all your diligence in obtaining them." He intimates that an army may be too large as well as too small, for the larger it becomes, the more difficult is it to move and feed. On this account, he says that the strength of an army depends upon numbers less than upon efficiency.

AT THE CITY CHURCHES

ANGLICAN

Christ Church Cathedral

8 a.m., Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m., Choral Communion; preacher, the Dean. 11 a.m., Matins and sermon; preacher, Rev. J. H. Haslam, of Chicago. 3 p.m., Children's Service. 7 p.m., Evensong and sermon; preacher, the Dean. Wednesday, 8:15 p.m., Special Intercession Service. Thursday, 8 a.m., Holy Communion.

St. John's

Quadra Street, corner of Mason. Rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A. 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 10 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes. 11 a.m., Morning Prayer; sermon by Rev. L. A. Todd. 7:30 p.m., Evening Prayer; sermon by the Rector. Service of Intercession, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

St. Barnabas'

Corner of Cook St. and Caledonia Ave. Holy Eucharist at 8 a.m. Matins at 10:30 a.m. Choral Eucharist and sermon at 11 a.m. Choral Evensong at 7 p.m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day.

St. James'

Corner of Quebec and St. John's Sts. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy Communion at 8. Matins, Litany and sermon at 11. Sunday School at 2:30. Evensong and sermon at 7.

St. Saviour's

Victoria West. Rector, Rev. Robt. Connell. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and Litany, 11 a.m. Sunday School, 2:30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Intercession, 7 p.m. Preacher for day, the rector.

St. Mary's

Burns Street, Oak Bay. 8 a.m., Holy Communion. 9:30 a.m., Military Parade Service. 11 a.m., Matins and sermon. 7 p.m., Evensong and sermon. Rev. G. H. Andrews, M.A., rector.

St. Mark's

Boleskine Road. Rev. J. W. Flinton, vicar. Holy Eucharist at 8 a.m. Matins and sermon at 11 a.m. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evensong and sermon at 7 p.m. The Rev. W. A. Shipway, of Spokane, will be the preacher for the day. Morning subject, "The Sin of Weakness"; evening subject, "Sowers of Seed." Intercession for our soldiers and sailors on Friday at 7:45 p.m.

Oaklands Mission

Evening Prayer and sermon at 7 p.m. Holy Communion first Sunday in month at 8 a.m.

Royal Jubilee Hospital

Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Morning Prayer and sermon at 10 a.m. Nurses, patients, members of the hospital staff, as also residents in the neighborhood are cordially invited to attend.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord

Corner Humboldt and Blanshard Sts. Rector, Rev. A. de B. Owen. Morning service, 11 a.m.; preacher, Rev. Thos. Gladstone; subject, "The Happenings at the Triennial Council of the R.E. Church in New York." Evening service, 7 p.m.; preacher, Rev. Thos. Gladstone; subject, "In the School of Christ: Learning to Know." Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN

St. Andrew's

Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., minister. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subjects: morning, "Christ in Common Life"; evening, "Why Was I Born?"

First

Corner Quadra and Pisgard Streets. Minister, Rev. Jno. Gibson Inkster, B.A. The minister will preach at both services. Subjects: 11 a.m., "Consecration"; 7:30 p.m., "Prohibition and the War."

Gorge Mission

Corner Tillicum Road and Walter Ave. Sunday School, 2:30 p.m.

St. Paul's

Corner Henry and Mary Strets, Victoria West. Rev. Donald MacRae, pastor emeritus. Rev. H. N. Maclean, M.A., Ph.D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class at 2:30 p.m. Subjects: morning, "The People That Know Their God"; evening, "Doing the Work of the Lord Deceitfully."

METHODIST

Belmont

Rev. John Robson, B.A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The pastor will preach in the morning and Rev. W. J. Knott in the evening. Sabbath School at 2:30 p.m. On Monday the Epworth League will meet at 8 p.m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening.

BAPTIST

Emmanuel

Corner Fernwood Road and Gladstone Avenue, Fernwood car terminus. Rev. William Stevenson, pastor. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The Life Most Worth Living"; Children's Talk, "Making Chums." Evening, 7:30 o'clock, "Character Colors and Soul Emanations." Sunday School, 2:30 p.m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p.m.

Tabernacle

Corner Chester and Fairfield. Dr. Cameron, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., conducted by Mark Lev, Hebrew scholar, of Los Angeles, California. Morning subject, "Christ's Second Coming in Relation to Israel"; evening, "The Time of the End, the Goal of Prophecy." Sunday School, 2:30 p.m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p.m.

Melbourne Street Mission

Sunday School and Adult Bible Class at 2:30 p.m. Young People's meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30; subject, "Christ Our Teacher."

CONGREGATIONAL

First

Corner Quadra and Mason Streets. 9:45 a.m., Sabbath School, Ladies' Bible Class and Men's Own Class. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. Samuel Lundie will preach at both services. Monday, 8 p.m., Christian Endeavor meeting. Thursday, 8 p.m., regular midweek meeting for prayer and praise.

UNITARIAN

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Corner Fernwood Road and Fisgard St. Service at 11 a.m.; preacher, Rev. H. E. B. Speight, M.A., pastor; subject, "The Ultimate Choice."

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MISCELLANEOUS

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Progressive Thought Temple, corner Pandora and Blanshard Streets. Dr. T. W. Butler will speak at 11 a.m.; subject, "Full Salvation." 8 p.m., subject, "Building the Superior Man." Children's School at 10 a.m.

The Universal Spiritual Church holds service at 8 p.m. at 1323 Douglas Street, Odd Fellows' Hall. Subject, "The Divine Plan." Pastor, C. Garlisley.

The Psychic Research Society will hold services in their hall, 119 Courtney St. 3 p.m., conference and message work. At 8 p.m. Mrs. F. B. Nevers will lecture on "The Great Symbol." Psychic messages from flowers at close.

Divine Psychic Society. Lecture by the pastor, Mrs. L. Rouse, at 7:30 p.m., at 1618 Douglas Street. Subject, "Hypnotism and Trance." Messages after lecture.

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STERLING TO BRING SUGAR FROM PERU

Six-Masted Barkentine Formerly Registered at Victoria Reported Fixed to Load Raw Material for B. C.

The second sailing vessel to come to British Columbia this season with a cargo of sugar from Peru will probably be the American barkentine E. R. Sterling, the only six-masted vessel of her rig afloat. She is more familiarly known here as the Everett G. Griggs, and was formerly owned at Victoria under that name. The big barkentine is reported to have sailed from Newcastle, N.S.W., on July 10 for Callao, Peru, and although confirmation is lacking, it is generally understood that she will take on a cargo of raw sugar while on the Peruvian coast for delivery at the B.C. Sugar Refinery. Before starting her present voyage the E. R. Sterling came to Nanaimo and shipped a full cargo of coal for San Francisco.

She is expected to return to this Coast in November. For her next outward voyage it is reported that the Sterling has been chartered for December loading at Seattle. She has been taken by the Schwager-Nettleton Lumber Company, on private terms, to load a cargo of lumber for Sydney, N.S.W.

She is a large carrier, having a capacity for about 2,500,000 feet of lumber. Captain Sterling, son of the owner, after whom the craft is named, is in command of the ship. The Sterling was delayed at Newcastle owing to the seizure of six members of her crew, of German nationality, who were interned at Liverpool, Australia.

Alliance to Shift

The last windjammer to bring in sugar from Peru was the Peruvian bark Alliance which, with the exception of her captain, arrived with all her crew down with beri beri. The Alliance has completed discharging her sugar cargo at Vancouver, and with 300 tons of ballast for stiffening purposes in her holds, is due to leave for Puget Sound.

BUSH FIRE THREATENS ESQUIMALT HOUSES

Outbreak on Hudson's Bay Company's Land Is Finally Checked by Means of Trench

Starting from the beach at the foot of Admiral's Road, a fire yesterday swept over two and a half acres of Hudson's Bay Company's land, burning grass and bush, and threatening the residential section of the neighborhood. The alarm brought Chief of Police Palmer, the fire captain of Ward 1, Councillor Armor, and a number of others to the scene. While the two hose reels of the municipality were requisitioned, and it was found impossible to control the flames through their agency. Finally a gang of volunteers dug a trench around the area, and thus checked it. Had there been a wind, there is no doubt that a serious conflagration would have resulted.

The incident is taken as a striking illustration of the need of securing more adequate fire fighting apparatus for the municipality.

BEST GRADE OF ANY TRANSCONTINENTAL

Sir Glenholme Falconbridge Pays Tribute to Character of Canadian Northern After Making Trip West.

Sir Glenholme Falconbridge, chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of Ontario, who, with Lady Falconbridge, accompanied Sir William Mackenzie, the president of the Canadian Northern, to Victoria last evening, and is a guest at the Empress, expressed himself as delighted with his experiences on the first run through of the third transcontinental. He has obtained a fresh conception of Canada's wonderful resources and potentialities.

"The new line," said Sir Glenholme, will no doubt prove a very important factor in developing the natural resources of our great country. All along the route, in the mountains, as on the plains, one can see settlements springing up. It was hard to realize that the line had only been finished, so smooth was the roadbed, and I was much impressed with the permanent nature of the work, the steel bridges, substantial structural features, and attention to detail.

"The Canadian Northern has the best grade of any transcontinental railway on the American continent, I have been informed. The maximum gradient is 7-10 of 1 per cent, and that, only for a comparatively short distance on the mountain division. What this feature will mean in the handling of grain and freight generally can readily be imagined. I am sure that British Columbia will reap a material benefit from the completion of this splendid system."

LATE PRICE LIST OF BERLIN GROCERY

Longer Time Than Usual Asked for Supply of Goods—Sugar Apparently Most Scarce Article

Concerning food prices in Berlin, The Glasgow Herald says: "We have received the latest price list of a large Berlin grocery establishment, which has several interesting features. The firm mentions that under the difficult conditions of the present time, orders can only be accepted occasionally and executed so far as the stocks and the diminished staff of assistants will permit. The firm asks for a longer time than usual to supply goods, and states that several articles, of which sugar seems to be the chief, can only be supplied in small quantities, owing to the difficulty experienced in getting stocks replenished. The firm states that their list once more shows a more pleasant picture. Although the British have cut off supplies from Germany, large quantities of goods have been successfully got through from neutral countries. Already success has attended the efforts to import articles which have been missing for some time, and should the war continue with favorable results to Germany, the position will be permanently favorable. The circular accompanying the price list mentions that the firm seizes every opportunity to moderate the high war prices.

"One or two points from the list itself: Flour is only sold in exchange for the usual stamps. Sugar and salt are only sold when customers order a sufficiency of other articles. Rice is withdrawn from sale until the authorities withdraw their embargo on existing stocks. Soup biscuits, rusks and several other kinds of small cakes used for soups and made of pure wheat flour are withdrawn from sale until Autumn. The same applies to buckwheat and starch made of maize. No preserved peaches or greengages are to be had. Articles like barley, oats, potato flour and macaroni of all kinds show a considerable increase, and the same applies to legumes of all sorts. Cocoa is M2.80 a pound, but there is a cheaper quality at M2.40, which is nearly sold out. Not more than twenty pounds of sugar may be ordered at a time. Purchasers of olive oil, which is also much dearer, are limited to one bottle, and the buyers of sardines to one box. But on the whole prices seem to rule low, save in exceptional cases, or where articles are imported from other countries, prices seem to be but slightly higher than for corresponding articles in this country."

A Boon to Students

In a few weeks the Provincial library will be open to the public. It should prove a great educational institution and it will be the fault of Victorians themselves if it does not fulfil its mission to the present generation.

The building itself is very beautiful. But it is its purpose and its utility that form its chief attractions. In the lofty, airy rooms the student can find reference books on many subjects, and may consult them at leisure. A splendid collection of books, manuscripts, and maps on the history of the Northwest Coast is the special pride of the librarian, Mr. E. O. S. Scholefield. These extend back to the sixteenth century, and many of the works are very valuable.

On the other hand, the reading room invites to the perusal of newspapers, magazines and pamphlets containing the news of the day, many of which will be preserved, to become in their turn material for the historian of the future.

Books lying ready to the hand of the student may be studied at desk or table. But if the data there should be insufficient, volumes will be brought from the stacks to supply the deficiency. If work is to be done extending over many days and requiring concentrated attention, studies have been provided where, without interruption or distraction, the task may be completed.

The work of arranging and cataloging books is still going on, and it will be many weeks, perhaps months, before it can be finished. But already enough has been set in order to enable men or women who want information which can be obtained from reference books or from periodical literature to gain the knowledge they are seeking.

During the session, the library is primarily for the use of legislators. How far this will interfere with its use by other seekers for knowledge has not been learned. At present, the design of the librarian is to place the library at the disposal of all who need its help. It should be of very great value to teachers, and all others who are pursuing any special line of study.

For their purpose the library is already well equipped, and as the years go on it will become a still more valuable storehouse of knowledge. It has been built for the future as well as for the present, and in happier times the plans of its designers for adding to its fine equipment pictures, statuary and other objects of virtue, may be carried out. At present, however, Victorians can congratulate themselves on having in their Provincial library an educational institution of great value, whose doors will be open to all who truly desire to learn. In Mr. Scholefield those who go to the library with a definite purpose will find a kind and courteous friend.

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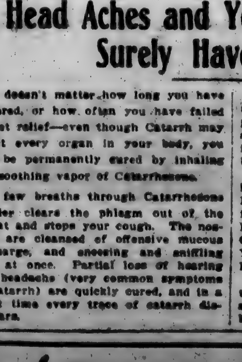

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SOULS OF NATIONS AWAKENED BY WAR

Bishop of London's Impressive Address at Drumhead Service in Front of St. Paul's Cathedral.

The last Sunday in July was observed throughout London as a day of intercession on behalf of the King, the nation, and the land and sea forces of the Empire. The most notable meeting was a drumhead service conducted from the steps of St. Paul's Cathedral. More than 2,000 London Territorial troops attended this service, following an impressive procession from Trafalgar Square to the Cathedral, with the Bishop of London and the cross and the crozier at their head.

From behind an altar formed on the Cathedral steps of the drums of the regiments, the Right Rev. Dr. Winnington-Ingram, Bishop of London, addressed the khaki semi-circle of troops, around which was densely packed "such a congregation as few preachers could hope to gather together to hear an appeal." The Bishop's theme was "The Soul of a Nation." The report of his address follows:

The Bishop took his text from Matthew xvi. 26, "For what is a man profited if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul."

He said that the most striking cartoon he had ever seen was in the pages of our greatest comic paper six months ago. It was when Belgium had been ravished up to the last town. A dark figure said sneeringly to the King of Belgium, "So you have lost everything?" But with a noble pride instinct in every feature, the King answered back, "Not my soul."

It was a great answer and a true one (the Bishop continued); the soul of a nation is more than its material possessions. What does it profit a nation if it gain the whole world and loses its soul? Belgium in her poverty today is far greater than Belgium rich with the rubber trade from the Congo—for she stands pure in soul, unconquerable in spirit, untarnished in fame. She has lost her wealth; she has found her soul.

So with France. Those who have come recently from France stand entranced before the change in the nation. There was a time when the antagonism to the Roman Catholic priesthood seemed degenerating into a hatred of religion; Paris was the home of gaiety and the fount of fashion. But there is a new France in the world today—absolutely one, with a passionate patriotism which is like a flame; all pleasures are flung aside — she pants for the day when the fair provinces taken by the enemy shall be restored, and the fangs of the wild beast which have been fastened in her shaken off. There are no great national resources in France available for comforts for the soldiers. Paid their franc and a quarter a day, out of this the wife saves enough to send some little comfort to her man in the trenches. Purified by a fire of trial of which we have no conception here, France has found her soul.

The Patient Soul of Russia

And what shall we say of Russia? Those of us who have visited Russia have always loved the great soul of Russia. To Palestine every year, for every ten pilgrims from other countries, there come at least 1,000 from Russia. Beneath the vodka habit, behind what often seemed a lack-of-ambition spirit in the Church; behind the old mistaken political methods which produced so many revolutions, a great soul breathed, and at the touch of the purging fire has been revealed. In a week the vodka was flung aside, in a day the nation was united under its leader; within a month freedom was promised to the nationalities under its sway; the religion which breathed beneath great State functions was seen to be genuine, and the great patient soul of Russia was revealed. Let us pray today as we never before prayed that Warsaw may be saved. But whether Warsaw is lost or not Russia will not be conquered. Russia will never be conquered—while the world lasts; not only because of the extent of its territory, but because of the soul of its people; they may be pushed back and back, but they will burn and suffer, and suffer and burn as they go—they may lose the whole world, but they will keep their soul.

The Church has come out today to give a message to the soul of our nation. Have we got a soul? Who that knows the history of the English people can doubt it? It is a soul which gets overlaid, like the souls of other nations, with love of material comfort, with arrogance, and with worldliness, but the children would not be springing from all over the world to the mother's side if the mother had no soul, if there had been no love of freedom, no belief in honor, no care for the weak, no contempt for the merely strong, then there would have been no glad loyalty from thousands and tens of thousands who have rallied round her flag. Can we admit for a moment that the soul of the nation which won Agincourt, which flung back the Armada which withstood for many years, and finally conquered, the armies of Napoleon, is not as great as the soul of other nations? Rather we believe that in this equally balanced contest on the Continent it is the soul of England which is once again to free the world; no calamity can be pictured more awful than if at this supreme crisis in the history of the world England should fail.

A Nation at Its Knees

But, if we are to rise to our vocation, the first essential thing is that as a nation, not as a few groups of pious individuals, but as a nation, we should turn to God; the only power which can save Europe today is a nation which, while it fights and works and serves and saves without stint, is also a nation on its knees. Do we really believe in God's strength? Do we believe in an Almighty God at all? Or is prayer waste of time? Do we really believe in the promise, "Seek first the Kingdom of God, His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you?" It is for that reason that I have summoned London, as the Archbishops have again and again summoned the nation day and night to pray.

But to pray with effect we must pray with a good conscience, and that is the real significance of the Church's call to repentance. Repentance is not a weak whining on our knees to God because we are in a difficulty; it is a noble laying aside of all that makes us unworthy of working with the Great Friend. It was said by a well-known Atheist, "The 'Great Companion' is dead." The answer of a believing nation is that He whom the Atheist ventured to call "the Great Companion" is not dead, but that He can only work with those who keep His laws, and obey His will and share His mind and refuse to do evil that good may come. Can we as a nation say that we have always done this? Do we not know that again and again we have ignored His day, neglected His worship, and broken His commandment "to keep our bodies in temperance, soberness and chastity"? To win this war, then, to liberate the spiritual powers in heavenly places which are at our disposal, we must repent as well as pray, and amend as well as repent; it is only a new England, which has come back to her best self, which can save the world today.

But with the penitence and prayer must go a spirit of service which must impress the world. We have had a call addressed to the nation by its responsible leaders, for "universal voluntary service." It is the greatest call which can be addressed to a nation. No other nation believes it possible. Everyone knows it is the last time that we can afford to leave the call voluntary, but, if it can be given, voluntary service is the noblest form of service.

"I am among you as He that serveth," cried the great Captain of salvation, and it was voluntary service of which He spoke. "By love serve one another," in those old words the Church calls to the soul of the nation to rise to this great vocation, and from the highest to the lowest to offer itself for service, with the single-hearted cry, "Here I am, send me."

The Home of Freedom

But there must be something more even than service, and I am only putting in a fuller form what I have written in my letter to the people of London, we must also save. No one yet realizes the changes which this war is going to make to all of us; a financial expert told us the other day that many rich men living in large houses would be living in cottages after the war, but the test of whether the soul of the nation is rising to its vocation is whether it is ready to bear this cheerfully, so long as it has kept its honor untarnished and fully achieved its great aim. When we are fighting for the freedom of the home of freedom, for the liberties of the world, for international honor, for Christ upon the Cross as opposed to the revived pagan doctrine that right is might, the Church calls upon the nation to say that no sacrifice matters if you win.

"No easy hopes or lies
shall bring us to our goal,
But iron sacrifice
of body, will and soul."

We summon, then, the soul of England to rise in all its grandeur and strength at this crisis of the day of God. Come from the four winds, thou Breath of the Spirit, and breathe upon this great people that hope and faith and love may once again revive and the world be saved again by the "Soul of a People."

After the address the hymn, "O Lord of Life, to Thee We Cry," was sung, and then came the most solemn period of the service. Minor canons of the Cathedral recited fifteen intercessions. These were numbered on the printed form of service, and as they were intoned, and the people joined in the responses, corresponding numbers were shown on cards from the stage.

There was a wonderful quiet over the great gathering of people as the intercessions were made. The troops stood firm in their lines, heads bowed over the service papers; men in the crowd beyond removed their hats. At the end of each prayer the murmur of voices uniting in the supplication, "We beseech Thee to hear us, good Lord," rose for a few seconds and fell away to silence as the cannon slowly recited the succeeding petition. Above the troops, the pigeons which have their home about the Cathedral came circling around in the sunshine.

The service closed with the Lord's Prayer, in which everyone joined, and the singing of the National Anthem.

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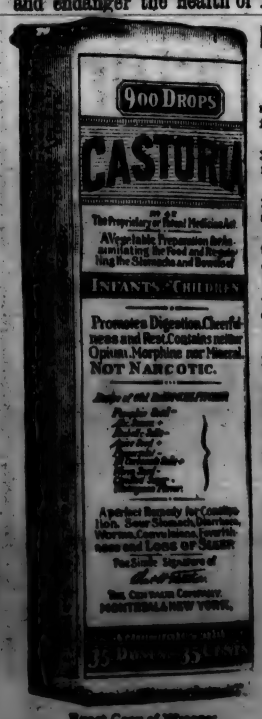

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REVIVES STORY OF "ANGELS OF MONS"

British Soldier Gives Vivid Description of Vision That Appeared During the Famous Retreat.

Lance-Corporal ——, who is forbidden to give his name and is at present in hospital waiting to undergo an operation, told a London Daily Mail representative the following with regard to the angels of Mons:—

"I was with my battalion in the retreat from Mons on or about August 28. The German cavalry were expected to make a charge, and we were waiting to fire and scatter them so as to enable the French cavalry who were on our right to make a dash forward. However, the German aeroplanes discovered our position and we remained where we were.

"The weather was very hot and clear, and between 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening I was standing with a party of nine other men on duty, and some distance on either side there were parties of ten on guard. Immediately behind us half of my battalion was on the edge of a wood resting. An officer suddenly came up to us in a state of great anxiety and asked us if we had seen anything startling. He hurried away from my ten to the next party of ten. When he had got out of sight I, who was the non-commissioned officer in charge, ordered two men to go forward out of the way of the trees in order to find out what the officer meant. The two men returned reporting that they could see no sign of any Germans; at that time we thought that the officer must be expecting a surprise attack.

Guided by the Officer

"Immediately afterwards the orderly came back, and taking me and some others a few yards away showed us the sky. I could see quite plainly in middle a strange light which seemed to be quite distinctly outlined and was not a reflection of the moon, nor were there any clouds in the neighborhood. The light became brighter and I could see quite distinctly three shapes, one in the centre having what looked like outspread wings, the other two were not so large, but were quite plainly distinct from the centre one. They appeared to have a loose-hanging garment of a golden tint, and they were above the German line facing us.

"We stood watching them for about three-quarters of an hour. All the men with me saw them, and other men came up from other groups who also told us that they had seen the same thing. I am not a believer in such things, but I have not the slightest doubt that we really did see what I now tell you.

"When We Were Dog-tired"

"I remember the day because it was a day of terrible anxiety for us. That morning the Munsters had a bad time on our right, and so had the Scots Guards. We managed to get to the wood, and there we barricaded the roads and remained in the formation I have told you. Later on the Uhlans attacked us, and we drove them back with heavy loss. It was after this engagement when we were dog-tired that the vision appeared to us.

"I shall never forget it as long as I live. I lie awake in bed and picture it all as I saw it that night. Of my battalion there are now only five men alive besides myself, and I have no hope of ever getting back to the front. I have a record of fifteen years' good service, and I should be very sorry to make a fool of myself by telling a story merely to please anyone."

Nurse's Statement

The circumstances under which this story was related are important. Miss C. M. Wilson, the lady superintendent of the hospital of which the lance-corporal now is, was surprised when in conversation he told her that he was going over again in his mind what happened during the great retreat. He then went on to make a statement of such interest that, in Miss Wilson's own words, "I took it down verbatim as he spoke it in order that my memory should not play me false.

"I have known him for some time in hospital and he is not at all imaginative or highly strung. He is a decent, plain-speaking fellow and a married man with a family. So satisfied am I of the value of his story to those who are discussing the vision of the angels that I wish his words to be made public just as they were uttered, without the slightest idea that he was dealing with a topic which now excites newspaper discussion. I am certain that he never thought of making a statement to the newspapers, and I am personally convinced that the vision was actually seen by this man."

The lance-corporal told the newspaper representative, as he told Miss Wilson, that he never read the newspaper account nor had he heard from anyone else since he left France a word about the angels of Mons or anything connected with the story. "I told Miss Wilson because I was lying in bed and thinking about it and when she came to my bedside I told her what was in my mind. I had no idea that it would interest her as it will always interest me."

BELGIANS GROUND UNDER IRON HEEL

Unfortunate People Made to Feel Full Weight of German Savagery — Spies Setting Traps for Unwary.

A neutral lday, who has just managed to get out of Brussels, has a long and sad story to tell about conditions in the Belgian capital under the regime of the "Sultan" von Bissing. The city swarms with spies—men, women and children. There are about 6,000 on von Biesing's list, and these 6,000 have been given free tramway passes, as it has been found that Belgians speak quite freely in tramcars, and can easily be caught "plotting."

This is how the German spies work, according to The London Daily Express. They see a lady or a gentleman dressed in mourning, and open a conversation by some such remark as, "You, too, then, have paid your toll to the Fatherland." The person addressed is caught unawares. "Yes, my son has fallen in action." With pretended sympathy the spy says, "Oh! how terrible. But how did you hear of it? Are you quite sure?" And the unsuspicious victim of German guile will reply, "Alas, yes. We learned the tidings by a special courier who managed to smuggle a letter across the border."

There is the trap! The spy has the tramcar stopped, and his voice is no longer sympathetic. "You know that it is forbidden to receive letters except through the German post. Come with me to the kommandantur." And such an "offence" means a fortnight in prison.

This lady tells the story of a poor Belgian manicurist whose husband was sentenced to five years' detention in a German prison simply because he was suspected at getting English newspapers. He was "tried" before a German court-martial, and as there was no evidence of his crime, the Germans sent 16 a Belgian whose aged father had just been sentenced to be shot for spying, and told him he could save his father's life by going to the court and swearing that he knew that this Belgian received English newspapers.

"If you refuse," he was told, "your father will be shot. If you do it, he will be released at once. You have ten minutes to think matters over." With his father's life in the balance, what could the poor man do, except obey his tempters?

A Fearful "Crime"

The world has been told of the arrest of Mme. Carton de Wiart, wife of the Belgian Minister of Justice. The Germans stated she had been arrested and sentenced for corresponding with her husband. That is not true, of course. The truth is far more original.

Mme. Carton de Wiart played an amusing trick on the German non-commissioned officer whose mission it was to keep a tireless watch on all her movements. She is a splendid walker, so that some time ago, on a Sunday, she determined to make a picnic with her children in the woods of Terrueren, near Brussels. She departed early in the morning in a tramcar, with the food for all in a knapsack. It was a very warm day, and the party were very lively. The German was following.

Half way to Terrueren the party alighted and walked into the woods, where the lunch was taken on the lawn. The German was looking on, but was not invited to participate in the meal. After lunch the walk was continued for five hours, the plan being to show a German officer how a Belgian woman can "outwalk," as well as outwit him.

Every now and then the German, perspiring in his heavy uniform, would approach Mme. Carton de Wiart: "Pray, madam, will you not take the tram now?" The reply was, "Certainly not. I must walk for my health, and so must my children. But I don't prevent you from taking the tram."

This lasted the whole day, and at 9 p.m. the party returned home, followed by the infuriated German, exhausted and half-starved. A report of the affair was sent to von Bissing, who ordered the immediate arrest of Mme. Carton Wiart for having "grossly insulted a German non-commissioned officer."

The Street Gamins' Revenge

The Brussels "ketjes"—street boys—have found a new method of teasing the Germans. They carry scissors in their sleeves, and when they get near a German soldier in a crowd, they cut off the leather knots of his sword.

A boy of fifteen was sentenced to three months' imprisonment last week for having boasted—and truly—of having cut fifty-four of these precious knots, and a syndicate of Belgian bankers has promised a reward of £60 for any one who will relieve von Bissing of his own. The knots are generally sold for the benefit of the Belgian Red Cross, and they fetch high prices.

Everything in Brussels is used for the relief of the widespread misery forced on the Belgians by German ruthlessness. High bids have already been tendered for the tapestry Burgomaster Max is making in his captivity at Glatz.

"I have discovered a new talent for embroidery," he wrote to one of his Belgian friends, "and have been allowed by my German jailers to indulge in tapestry manufacture. I think it is very interesting work, and whenever possible I will send you some samples of my new handicraft, so that you can sell it, if possible, for the benefit of the Belgian war victims."

A committee of Belgians has already subscribed £4,000 for Burgomaster Max's historical tapestry.

Former Governor Dies

BINGHAM, Mass., Aug. 28.—John D. Long, former secretary of the navy and former Governor of Massachusetts, died at his residence here tonight.

Miss Curtis and Miss James leave this afternoon to spend their vacation in Vancouver and Seattle.

WORLD FAMOUS FILMS AT ROYAL VICTORIA

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, Victorians will have the opportunity of seeing one of the most famous spectacular picture plays ever produced, "Judith of Bethulia," which reproduces in dramatic form the old Jewish story of Judith and Holofernes. The various and frequent struggles of the Jews for independence have always been of peculiar interest, and the story of Judith, as told in the Apocrypha, is one of the most dramatic of them all. The scenes of battle and love as shown on the picture screen are intensely moving, and the attacks by the Assyrians on the city are unparalleled in the realm of moving pictures.

This play was produced by the famous D. W. Griffith, who was responsible for that wonderful "Birth of a Nation," the picture play which has been shown in the United States for months an end at a price of $2 a seat. In "Judith of Bethulia," over 500 people and 300 horsemen take part, and a whole walled town specially built for the production. Every man, woman and child in Victoria ought to see these pictures.

JAPANESE LINE WILL MAKE INCREASE

Toyo Kisen Kaisha Announces That Advantage Will Be Taken of Withdrawal of Pacific Mail Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 28.—The Toyo Kisen Kaisha, which, with the retirement of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, becomes the only steamship line carrying passengers between this port and the Orient, will seize the opportunity for expansion offered by the sale of its rival carriers to the Atlantic Transport Company.

A statement to this effect was made here today by Soichiro Asano, president of the Japanese line, who said:

"Our recent purchase from the Pacific Mail Company of the liner Persia was the first step in the enlargement of our fleet. As soon as possible we will build two or three new liners, and until they are ready, two of our vessels in the South American trade—the Kiyo Maru and the Seiyo Maru, both passenger liners—will call at this port. At present they touch only at San Pedro.

"It is probable that the Anyo Maru, the third vessel in the South American trade, will be taken off that run very soon, and placed in the direct service between San Francisco and Japan. This will give us six vessels in the San Francisco-Orient service and two others making this city a port of call."

COMING EVENTS

Social Tea—The Rockland Park W. C. T. U. will hold a social tea at the home of Mrs. Boydon, 2654 Fernwood Road, tomorrow from 3 to 5 p. m.

Orangemen to Meet—L. O. B. A. Purple Star Lodge 104, will hold its regular meeting in the Orange Hall, Yates Street, on Wednesday, at 8 p. m.

King's Daughters—The King's Daughters will hold their monthly business meeting in the Rest Room, Courtney Street, at 10:30 a. m. on Wednesday.

St. Mark's Hall—The Women's Guild, St. Mark's Hall, Vancouver, will meet in Christ Church Cathedral tomorrow at 2:30 p. m.

St. Jude's Ladies' Guild—The members of St. Jude's Ladies' Guild will hold no meeting on Thursday next. The first meeting will take place on September 9.

Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter—The monthly meeting of the Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter I. O. D. E. will be held tomorrow at 8 p. m. in the Y. W. C. A. library.

Centennial Bible Class—The Men's Bible Class of Centennial Church will meet in the parlor at 2:30 p. m. today, the lesson being in charge of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Colwell.

Loyal Orange Association—Premier L. O. L., 1610, will hold a Royal Arch meeting in the Orange Hall, Yates Street, tomorrow at 8 p. m. Visiting brothers are welcome. Candidates will report to the secretary at 8 p. m. sharp.

Girls' Branch Social—A social evening in aid of St. Barnabas' Girls' Branch of the W. A. will be held on Tuesday, September 7, at 8 p. m., in the schoolroom. The social will consist of games, music and refreshments.

Knox Church Services—The services at Knox Church (Presbyterian) this morning and evening will be conducted by Rev. J. Johnston. The subject of the evening sermon will be "From the City of Destruction to the Cross."

Women's Canadian Club—The regular monthly meeting of the executive of the Women's Canadian Club will be held tomorrow at 11 a.m., at the Alexandra Club. Convenors of the committees of arrangements for the garden party, recently held at the residence of Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, are requested to be present.

Lodge Sewing Club—The sewing club in connection with Colfax Rebekah Lodge will hold a whist drive on Tuesday evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Douglas Street. The proceeds will be donated to buying material as this club does sewing for the Red Cross Society. The members are planning to send away from time to time parcels to the soldiers in the trenches.

Red Cross Concerts—The band of the 5th Regiment, C. G. A., will give a series of patriotic concerts on the grounds in front of the Parliament Buildings. The first taking place on Saturday, September 4, from 8 p. m. to 10 p. m. The programme will be varied, solos and addresses being interspersed with the band selections. The donations received on the occasion will be devoted to the Red Cross fund.

Missionary At Home—The Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, will hold an at home on Tuesday, August 31, at the home of Mrs. R. A. Brown, 940 Fairfield Road. In the afternoon, from 3 to 6, tea will be served and in the evening from 8 to 10 a good musical programme will be given. Home-made candy will be on sale and a good time is assured all who attend.

Prohibition Meetings—At 4 p.m., in the Pantages Theatre, today, under the presidency of Rev. Mr. Connell, Principal Lloyd, of Saskatchewan, will address a men's meeting, on "Prohibition From an Anglican's Viewpoint." Mr. Robert Morrison has consented to sing. The subject for the evening mass meeting will be, "Prohibition, a Dominion Issue." Mrs. Jessie Burnett is the soloist. The evening meeting will begin at 9 o'clock.

Winter Band Concerts—Arrangements have been completed with Manager Rice, of Pantages Theatre, whereby Rowland's Concert Band will give the usual series of Winter Sunday evening concerts. The season will be inaugurated next Sunday evening, and a special programme is being arranged. Several well known artistes have signified their willingness to assist, and the musicians are looking forward to a very prosperous series. A portion of next Sunday's collection will be given to the Patriotic Fund.

"Jam Shower"—The Red Cross Society will hold a "jam shower" on Wednesday, September 15, when every housewife is appealed to for a generous donation. All gifts are to be delivered at the auxiliary work rooms, corner of Fort and Wharf Streets, and the services of expert packers will be gratefully accepted for a few hours on the days following. Donations of jam should be sent to headquarters, preferably in pint bottles. Volunteers for this service are asked to telephone the secretary at the Red Cross headquarters, so that offers may be registered.

Red Cross Annual Meeting—According to charter, the annual meetings of all branches of the Canadian Red Cross Society must be held during the month of September. The first annual meeting of the Victoria and District Branch will be held on Thursday, September 23, in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel at 8 p. m. A committee will also be in charge during the day, as "Sock Day" will be held on the same date. An exhibition of the socks collected during the day will be made at the meeting.

AT CLOSE QUARTERS IN VOSGES HEIGHTS

French and Germans in Trenches Only Ten Yards Apart—Solid Rock Prevents Mining Operations.

We motored up a road newly built through the woods—a really remarkable feat—to the top of a mountain, from which we walked to the summit of the Hartmanns Weilerkopf, writes a correspondent in France. I will explain this most important position in some detail, as I am specifically allowed to do by the French censorship. The last part of the road—over which all supplies are carried—is under fire of the German artillery, but it is not until one reaches the very base of the round knob, which is the Hartmanns Weilerkopf, that one enters the boyau.

We immediately entered the front line trenches. Looking through a steel peephole, I saw the German front trench only ten yards away. I asked at once how lines could remain so close, why mines were not exploded underneath each other's trenches.

"Solid rock," said the officer. That is the explanation: it is only on solid rock that such positions as this can be found.

Odd bullets whined continually overhead; two shells exploded in the open space behind a wing at one corner not twenty-five yards away; another exploded at the very base of the trench, among the entanglements, within only a few feet of us, the smoke, acrid and disagreeable, hiding for a minute men at our very side—for the artillery of both armies shell each other's front line trenches ten yards apart from positions perhaps 8,000 yards away.

We motored later to the headquarters of a regiment, and here we saw the beginning of a remarkable underground city. The trenches and chambers are all covered, yards of earth overhead, with heavy wood supports and even fireplaces—a Winter's work. Here also we saw one of those sad little improvised cemeteries—two graves, flower strewn—which one sees so often at the front.

We walked straight through the woods toward Altkirch, and at the further edge the German infantry opened fire, as they closely watch these woods, and the bullets hammer through the trees. Going down into a boyau, we made our way directly to the front lines.

It was curious to watch Altkirch still and quiet in the afternoon sun. Not a soul could be seen, though many must be there. The town seemed quite undamaged, quite unaffected by the war at its very gate.

We continued through the trenches with the engineer who built them, three lines connecting at three separate points, so that there would always be an outlet of escape. They were fine trenches, with wood floors, under which a gutter ran, the earth at either side held back by saplings twined together like wickerwork. A city was "rising" below ground.

Every few score yards there was a pail of water, with a bottle of hyposulphite of soda, to use against asphyxiating gases. War here is at a standstill.

At Dannemarie we saw the general of division. "The only way to win this war," he said, "is to kill enough Germans."

An acting brigadier-general of Alpine Chasseurs told me that gaiety and optimism were his watchwords; that as everybody knew the war would last seventeen years (until there were no more children) one had best enjoy it, and that in his opinion a sad man was a dead man.

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MATERNITY—1336 North Park. Phone [illegible]

MATERNITY nurse, practical; very reasonable. Box 1885, Colonist.

MEN and women out of employment are registered at the Central Employment and Relief Bureau free of charge. Send in your requirements at once for the service of experts in any line.

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

TELEPHONE 1627, Central Employment and Relief Bureau, when in need of help in your home, store or elsewhere.

WANTED—By nurse in her own home, care of old lady or gentleman, or nervous patient; 20 years practice in Victoria; references from best families here; kind attention. For further particulars phone 4916L, 8 to 11 a. m. or 5 to 9 p. m.

WANTED—Position as working housekeeper or any place of trust, by middle-aged woman; town or country; best of references. Box 1879, Colonist.

WOMAN wants plain sewing by day, good machinist, or housework. Apply 832 Pandora.

YOUNG woman wishes situation as general or care of children. P. O. Box 1128, city.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING daily. Phone 4516L. 2009 Cook.

DRESSMAKING daily. Miss Wilkinson. Phone 4307R2.

DRESSMAKING—Plain sewing, blouses, kimonos and children's dresses a specialty. 707½ Yates Street. Room 7.

DRESSMAKING Parlor, 212 Stobart-Pease Building, Yates Street. Miss Wilson.

DRESSMAKING—Wanted, shirt and bodice hands; also assistant and apprentices. Madame Watts, 404 B. C. Permanent Loan Bldg.

EXPERIENCED—$1.75 per day. Miss Bulley. Phone 3292R.

ACREAGE FOR SALE

FOR Sale—Farm, Vancouver Island, 155 acres, 50 cultivated, excellent water supply, ¾-mile lake frontage; ideal home. Address Box 1202, Colonist.

FOR Sale—2½ acres, cleared, new cottage, 5 rooms and basement, close to Langford Station; city water; a snap at $1,800, on easy terms. Dunford's, 313 Union Bank.

FOR Sale—Three acres good land, 100 feet lake frontage, 10 miles from Victoria; good transportation, for sale at $1,500, on very easy terms, and will supply lumber for all buildings on easy credit plan. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

PREEMPTIONS—I can locate you on 160 acres government land; also lake front, harbor front and sea front. Apply G. H. Southwell, Box 1863, Colonist.

ACREAGE WANTED

WANTED—Fifty or 100 acres, some cleared, to run stock. Box 1996, Colonist.

WANTED—In Cowichan district, 10 or 15 acres (uncleared), at reasonable price for cash. Box 1961, Colonist.

WANTED—Small ranch, 10 to 20 acres, partly cleared, suitable for chicken raising and apple orchard. Near Duncan or Sooke preferred. Full particulars to J. P. Fischer, Apartado No. 150, Tampico, Mexico.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR Sale—Esquimalt, Lampson Street, 12-room house and over acre well laid out grounds; tennis lawn; price $10,000; terms. Apply 941 Esquimalt Road.

FOR Sale—For snaps in bungalows see us; we have some good ones. Dunford's, 312 Union Bank.

FOR sale or trade, $900 equity in 4-room modern house for $200 cash, balance very easy. 1736 First Street.

FOUR-room cottage, Haultain Street, sewer and electric light connected, $750. Box 1992, Colonist.

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED for client, a 7-room modern house; must be bargain; central. Bagshawe & Co., Pemberton Bldg.

WANTED—Four-room house, give clear title lot and assume small mortgage. Box 1798, Colonist.

WANTED to buy, house of 7 or 8 rooms, with garden; must be centrally located; price very reasonable. Box 1874, Colonist.

FARMS AND GARDENS

FOR Sale—On easy terms, large Arizona stock ranch and range, stocked with high-grade Hereford cattle, 3,500 head highly bred cattle, which run on owned, leased and open range; range controlled by many highly improved, deeded watering ranches, and will take care of 10,000 head; range situated in White Mountains, with many mountain trout streams, and is one of best livestock ranges in Southwest; 300 head fine blooded mares and mules; 3,000 acre highly improved, irrigated alfalfa ranch, watered by individually owned mountain reservoirs, and would make fine colony for German farmers. Climate, hunting, trout fishing, scenery and water unsurpassed. Address Cross Bar Ranch, Colter, Apache County, Arizona.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR hire, 5-passenger Ford, with driver, by the hour, day or week; rates reasonable. Phone 3923Y.

FOUND at Last—A cure for asthma, bronchitis, stomach colds, whooping cough and all lung troubles; sufferers wishing to certify for themselves should call on Walter Monk, 1815 Chambers Street, and Fred Burridge, 2500-2502 Douglas Street, a well known grocer. Famous herb medicine, 810 Cook Street.

NEW refreshment store. Mrs. Robertson, Foul Bay Beach.

SHOOTING Parties—Auto to take you out; lowest rates. Ring 2036Y2.

SIX dories, cost $80 each; what offers? Alfred Carmichael, Belmont House, phone 5501.

WANTED to Buy—Gent's diamond ring, 1kt or over; must be a bargain for cash. Particulars and price, Box 1973, Colonist.

WRITER of letter to H., at Douglas Street, ought to see him personally.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

ADVERTISEMENT writing and general publicity; personal lessons or instruction by mail. Apply Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria.

ALL black soil and manure, delivered. Phone 1864.

A MONARCH Oak steel range for sale, very reasonable if sold at once. Phone 3923Y. In first-class condition.

A SACRIFICE, on East Coast Vancouver Island, about 100 miles from Victoria and 60 miles from Vancouver, one and a half-million feet timber, on waterfront, considerable fallen and bucked. For quick sale will sell cheap. Address owner, Box 124, Colonist.

BICYCLE, 26-inch frame, new one year ago, good condition; owner leaving city. Apply between 3:30 and 5, at 1013 Government Street, Monday or Tuesday; no reasonable offer refused.

BILLIARD table for sale, cheap, English billiard table, complete with cues and rack. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Streets.

BLACK soil and manure, delivered. Phone 168.

CLIPPER bow yacht, finest seaboat on this Coast; will trade straight for good car. Phone 4285R.

DOUBLE barrel 12-bore gun, as new, by Stevens, $20; 16-inch lawn mower, excellent condition, $3.50; 18-inch, $4. 560 Rithet Street, after 5.

ENGLISH hammer shotgun; a real snap at $15. 707 Fort St.

FARMERS and other folks will do well to look us up for bargains in hardware odds and ends, varnish, heavy duty wheelbarrows, and lots of other things at cost. The Colbert Plumbing and Heating Co., Ltd., 755 Broughton St., just below new theatre.

FIELD glasses, makers, Lemaire, Paris; extra power; price $8. Phone 5060L.

FOR Sale—Albion stove, six holes, good condition, $10. Phone 3851L.

FOR Sale—Five shares of Union Bank of Canada at $130 per share, which includes quarterly dividend to be paid Sept. 1. This stock has paid 8 per cent interest for the past few years and a bonus of 1 per cent given to the shareholders for the past 3 years. Toronto Stock Exchange quotes Union Bank of Canada at $140 per share, and the stock is considered a conservative investment for savings. Address Box 1390, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Good dry alder wood, $2.50 per cord, $5.00 per 1½ cords. Phone 466L2.

FOR Sale—Good mill wood, $3 cord. Phone 6130R.

FOR Sale—Handsome invalid chair, padded leather cushions, propelled either by hands or feet; never used; cost $165. Taylor make, good condition, cheap. Phone 2766L.

FOR Sale—Lady's bicycle, English make, perfect condition, only $18. Phone 4612L.

FOR Sale—No. 3 Emerald kodak, size 3¼x4¼, in splendid condition; cost $30; will sell for $12. Apply 718 Catherine Street, after 6 p. m.

FOR sale, one Dayton computing scale, one Dayton meat cutter, one computing cheese cutter, all as good as new. Call at 1259 Esquimalt Road, or phone 3071L.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

FOR sale or charter, power boat "Cressy," dead weight capacity 40 tons, 15,000 salmon; heavy duty Corliss engine, 30 h. p., 1911; electric lighted, 500-gallon fuel tanks; well found and ready immediate use. Apply Box 151, Nanaimo, B. C.

FOR Sale—Yale motor cycle, twin, Presto light, back seat, in splendid running order; will give easy terms; must sell. Apply Box B, Colonist.

FOR Sale—12-foot rowboat at 468 Montreal Street.

FOR $4.00 we will address and supply 500 envelopes addressed to any class of homes you desire to reach. 1,000, $7.00. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg.

FOR $7.00 we will print and deliver 1,000 circulars or dodgers to any class of homes you wish; 500 for $5.00. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg.

FOUR-wheel phaeton, reversible seat, cost $300, in first-rate condition; will take $60. Box 1962, Colonist.

HAVE good oil lease on Graham Island; need money; make offer. Box 1924, Colonist.

HELP the unemployed by buying wood from the Salvation Army Industrial, back of the City Hall; cordwood, $4.00, delivered; 12 and 16-inch blocks, delivered, $5.50; split, $6 delivered; packing in extra 50c per cord; half cords sold. Phone 3646.

HEATERS! Heaters! Cheapest second-hand stock in Victoria; all perfect; good as new; exchanges made. Eastern Stove Co., 845 Fort St.

HUNTERS' camp stoves, second-hand, cheap. Eastern Stove Co., 845 Fort Street.

IMMEDIATE sale, leaving Victoria, gent's English 3-speed cycle, $20. Box 1975, Colonist.

MAGNET Auction Rooms—Private sales daily of high-grade furniture at auction prices. 944 Fort, between Quadra and Vancouver.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $1 down and $1 per week. 2001 Government St.

MOTOR cycle, Excelsior, single, in good running order, $45; Rudge Whitworth road racing bicycle, spare tube and tire, new, $20; Gibson guitar, cheap. Phone 4524R.

NEW English made hammer shotgun and case, for quick sale, $16. Apply 711 Pine Street, Victoria West.

ONE family (open) launch, 25x6, with 5 h.p. engine; speed about 8 miles, $200 cash; will slow for trolling salmon. One scow, 28x9, nearly new, $100 cash. Apply J. Aitken, Mayne, B. C.

REDUCED prices on circular letters or postcards that bring the business and cannot be detected from typewriting. Our prices include postage, printed letterheads or postcards and envelopes, typing letter, folding and enclosing, stamping and sealing, addressing and supplying names. Letters, $28 per 1,000; post cards, $21.50 per 1,000. For $121 we can reach every home worth reaching. Note—We refund postage on all returns through parties having moved. Newton Advertising Agency, Winch Bldg., Victoria, B. C., phone 1915.

SADDLE horse for sale or rent, $100 cash, or $125 on terms of $50 cash and $15 monthly; present stable can be kept if desired. Apply 24 Winch Bldg., phone 1915, or 1032 McClure Street, between 1 and 2, or 6.

SPARK Plugs! Spark Plugs! Spark Plugs! We have a large supply of Maxim & Maxim X plugs at 75c and 50c. This Maxim "made in Canada" plug is of the highest quality and will give excellent service. Thomas Plimley, 735 Johnson St.

THOROUGHBRED English setter dog and 12-bore hammerless shotgun, for sale, cheap. Box 1847.

$50 CASH and $20 monthly buys a multigraph machine in perfect condition; price only $200, and will sell for $150 cash; does circular work that cannot be detected from typewriting; free instruction will be given to purchaser, for one month. Apply 24 Winch Bldg.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A NEAT double bedstead and mattress, complete, in perfect condition; no illness. Box 1861, Colonist.

BEST prices paid for old clothing, shoes, etc., 541 Johnson; phone 4433L. Will call at any address.

CASH paid for slightly worn ladies' and gent's clothing, shoes and old gold. M. Stern, 609 Yates St., phone 4810.

LADY in reduced circumstances would be grateful for castoff clothing; size 38. Box 1903, Colonist.

WANTED—A few gold fish for pond at private house. Box 1926, Colonist.

WANTED—A good second-hand glass showcase, cheap. Lange & Brown, 747 Yates Street.

WANTED—Quantity wire netting, 5 feet, what offers? Box 1981, Colonist.

WANTED—Subscribers for the "Country Gentleman," $1.75 yearly; "Saturday Evening Post," same price; "Ladies' Home Journal," same. M. Morrison, 1442 Elford Street, phone 1328L.

WANTED—Ten or twenty tons pig potatoes, must be sound, dry and firm. State lowest cash price per ton F. O. B., Cobble Hill. Reply to Box 1816, Colonist.

WANTED to buy, houses of good furniture, best prices paid for cash. Phone 1879.

WANTED to purchase or rent for six months, four pool tables, 4½x9. Box 1960, Colonist.

WANTED—Twenty to 25 gallons good quality milk, delivered to dairy or Victoria Station. Reply to Box 1906, Colonist.

WANTED—35 or 40-foot launch, heavy duty engine, and light car; trade McLaughlin valued $850. Phone Dandridge, 3079L.

WE buy good furniture for cash, large or small quantities; also good left-off clothing. 1106 Douglas Street.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

LADY would rent, almost new Gerhard Heintzman piano, very reasonably, to reliable party. Box 1890, Colonist.

POULTRY ranch, ten acres, eight miles from city, on Interurban, with furnished cottage; water to house, and runs; rent $15. Apply 1933 Foul Bay Road. Phone 3806.

TWO stores and house, Tillicum Road, corner Maddock, rent $20 month; 3-room cottage, bath, hot and cold water, $7, including water.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

AT 524 Michigan Street, comfortable housekeeping rooms. Phone 2414L.

CLEAN, unfurnished housekeeping rooms, cabins, $4 per month and up. 1036 Hillside Avenue.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms with gas. 834 Courtney Street.

HOUSEKEEPING room, kitchen, bathroom; gas. 2532 Government.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $6 up; 1178 Fort Street; phone 4097L.

MOST comfortable housekeeping rooms, in well furnished private house, James Bay, 7 minutes P. O.; suit business ladies. $10, $12. Particulars The Ladies' Agency, Sayward Block, phone 2486; evenings 4007L.

ONE and two nice clean housekeeping rooms. 920 Fort.

THREE well-furnished housekeeping rooms, $16 month; five minutes from post office. Box 1765, Colonist.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

LADY and daughter, require two unfurnished rooms with refined family, Oak Bay district. Mrs. B., Bellevue Court, Oak Bay.

WANTED—By an elderly widow, two unfurnished rooms, situated between Jubilee Hospital and Cook Street. Apply 1928 Maple Avenue.

FURNISHED ROOMS

A SHARE of lady's furnished house to officer's or private's family, for low rent. Mrs. A. S. V., 2365 McNeill Avenue, Oak Bay, or phone 3361L.

FURNISHED bed-sittingroom, front room, 1009 Fort Street, corner Fort and Vancouver.

FURNISHED front bedroom to let, near High School; board given if desired. Apply Box 1951, Colonist.

FURNISHED room, with kitchen privileges, ladies working out or married couple; reasonable; close in. Apply Box 1979, Colonist.

FURNISHED rooms, with kitchen privileges; lady or married couple; reasonable, for company. 1469, Hamley Street, Fairfield.

THE "Poplars," Government and Belleville; rooms $1.25 week up. Also housekeeping, $2.50 week.

506 GOVERNMENT Street, strictly modern rooms, telephone, very central, block from Parliament Buildings.

WANTED—FURNISHED ROOMS

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms, close in; conveniences; no children. Box 1970, Colonist.

ROOM AND BOARD

AT 506 Government Street, comfortable quiet room and board; reasonable terms. Phone 5363R.

COMFORTABLE rooms with board, reasonable; near Government Buildings; 152 Menzies; phone 5081L.

COMFORTABLE room and board, reasonable, close in, 615 Vancouver Street. Phone 2680X.

FIRST-class room and board; large garden; tennis. 836 Humboldt St., phone 4837L.

FIRST-class room and board. 918 Cook Street.

GOOD room and board, private family, near car. 2034 Chaucer Street, Oak Bay.

PLEASANT, comfortable room with good home table, within ten to fifteen minutes of post office. Phone 2029L.

REFINED home, $5.50 weekly. Phone 862.

ROOM and board, reasonable terms. 1621 Quadra, phone 2261.

WANTED—Two ladies to share front room and board, together; reasonable terms. Box 1959, Colonist.

1157 JOHNSON Street, phone 1323L; room and board, near High or Central Schools.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD

YOUNG lady would like comfortable room and board with refined family. Box 1891, Colonist.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS

A FEW suites, furnished or unfurnished, at reduced rents, close in; cosy, convenient. Savoy Mansions, phone 4022R.

AILSA Mansions, Cook and Collinson Streets; suites for rent at reduced rates. Apply Janitor, Suite 3, or phone 2951.

AN attractive suite at "The Broadway," 442 Superior Street; furnished or unfurnished.

A 3-ROOM unfurnished suite, Dauphin Apartments, 2312 Work Street, off Queens Avenue; cheap rent. Apply caretaker, apartments, or phone 2828.

AT Hampton Court, Cook and Leonard Streets, unfurnished suite consisting of five rooms, delightfully situated, opposite Beacon Hill park, two minutes' walk from sandy beach, and a block from car; also furnished suite, vacant Sept. 1.

AT Mount Edwards, Vancouver Street, furnished and unfurnished suites; large rooms, car fares saved; rents reduced; close in.

AT October Mansion, Fort and Cook Streets, unfurnished suites, 3 and 4 rooms.

A VERY pleasant and convenient furnished or unfurnished suite, Stanley Apartments, Linden Ave.

CENTRAL Park Apartments, corner Queens and Vancouver Streets, 3-room suite for rent.

DEVEREUX Agency has two apartment flats, fully furnished suite, modern, pleasant locality. No. 1, four large rooms, with piano, $20. No. 2, three rooms, $12. Apply 647 Fort Street, upstairs.

FOUR-room flat, up-to-date conveniences, overlooking sea. 402 Dallas Road.

FURNISHED apartments, Beacon Hill Park; modern, reasonable. Phone R3866.

FURNISHED flat, central; furnace heat; gas range; phone. Fairfield, 456 Chester.

GLENGARRY, 316 Cook Street, up-to-date. Phones 5198 or 5337L.

LADY teacher living alone at Parkview Apartments, 928 Bay St., wishes one or two ladies to join her; piano, housekeeping, $6 per month.

MORRISON Mansions, Hilda and Chester, Fairfield, near park; good suites, furnished or unfurnished.

MOUNT View, Joseph and Bushby, $10; furnished $14. Campbell's, 1007 Government Street.

OLYMPIC Apartments, 1120 May Street, facing park. Furnished apartments to rent, of 4 and 2 rooms, per week or monthly. Phone 3132.

TREBARTHA Apartments, 1046 View Street, cosy suites; rates for the Winter.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

A FIVE-room cottage, all conveniences. F. Cherry, 522 Joffre Street, Esquimalt.

AT Cordova Bay to rent or lease by month or year, cottage, just finished and furnished, $10 per month. Phone A. E. Kent, 5109R, 805 Linden Ave.

FIVE-room house, near Willows, $6. 1523 Belcher Street.

FOR Rent—Modern 6-room house. Apply 340 Coburg Street, James Bay.

FOR Rent—Three-room modern cottage, $10 per month, including water. 1248 Denman St.

FOUR-room house, cheap, large lot, corner of Harriet and Burnside.

HOUSES to let, furnished and unfurnished. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas.

NEW 7-room house to rent, 1844 Fern Street, $15 month.

NEW, fully modern 7-room house, central, $15 per month; a snap. Coast Builders, 306 Union Bank.

SEVEN rooms, Princess Ave., $15; 6 rooms, Oscar St., $25; 7 rooms, Phoenix St., $15; 7 rooms, Rithet St., $15; 8 rooms, Mason St., $10; 6 rooms, Mason St., $6; 7 rooms, Moss St., $20; 6 rooms, Olive St., $20; 7 rooms, Monterey Ave., $16; 8 rooms, Moss St., $20; 9 rooms, Vancouver St., $15; 6 rooms, Niagara St., $15; 5 rooms, Beta St., $6; 5 rooms, Yale St., $12; 6 rooms, Eberts St., $18; 6 rooms, Alpha St., $10; 7 rooms, Oliver St., $15; 8 rooms, Montreal St., $10. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Streets, phones 4169 and 4170.

TO Let—A six-room house, 2534 Quadra Street. Apply 1524 Jubilee Avenue. Phone 1655R.

TO Let—Modern house with best linoleums and electric light fixtures in every room completed, beautiful flower garden, lawn and fruit trees, woodshed; close to Hillside car., No. 2635 Blanshard St. Rent cheap. Apply to Lee Dye & Co., 715 View St. Phone 134.

TO Let—Three and four-room modern cottage, low rent, close in. Apply 2656 Cedar Hill Road.

TO Let—402 Quebec Street, six rooms. Apply 408 Young Street.

TO Rent—Six-room house, $10. Apply 1110 Princess Ave., phone 2586L.

TO Rent—10 Dupplin Road, modern house, seven rooms, basement, furnace, $12.50 per month. G. F. Dunn, corner Douglas and Dupplin Road.

TO Rent—1205 Johnson Street, a new modern 6-roomed house just built. $21 monthly. Apply 1170 Yates Street.

VACANT about first week in September, cosy 6-room house, splendid condition; gas, etc., close in; rent low. Apply 1054 Fisgard, or phone 4415L.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

BY couple, no children, small modern cottage, not far from post office; low rent. Box 1938, Colonist.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

ALL or part of nicely furnished cottage, bath, phone, etc., $25 or $20 per month. Apply 721 Blanshard.

CLEAN, furnished, four rooms, $18; close in. Phone 4793L.

EIGHT rooms, Belmont Avenue, $50; 9 rooms, Wellington Avenue, $50; 9 rooms, St. Patrick St., $30; 5 rooms, Hquitain St., $30; 5 rooms, Admirals Road, $30; 7 rooms, Moss St., $30; 8 rooms, Richmond Ave., $35; 7 rooms, Davie St., $40; 7 rooms, Vancouver St., $35; 7 rooms, Heywood Ave., $35; 7 rooms, Vancouver St., $50. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Sts., phones 4169 and 4170.

FIVE-room modern house, furnace, $30. 286 Lee Avenue.

FOR Rent—Furnished or unfurnished, Sept. 1, 6-room fully modern home; best part of Oak Bay. Phone 231. F. J. Hart & Co., Ltd.

FULLY modern 6-room furnished house, every convenience, to rent, $30 month. Apply owner. Box 1972, Colonist.

FURNISHED cottage, with garage, for rent, from 10th September to 30th December, 1915. Apply 72 Government St., phone 5065R.

FURNISHED downstairs, near Fernwood car line, 1902 Chambers Street.

FURNISHED house, Fairfield, 7 rooms, choice; rent reasonable; will lease. Apply 1214 Oscar.

FURNISHED—Lady going away will let her charmingly arranged 3-room bungalow to reliable tenant, without children; every comfort and convenience; piano, furnace, lovely garden. Apply 216 Moss St., phone 4626.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET (Continued)

NEW modern bungalow, three rooms, to let, furnished or unfurnished. 1847 Crescent Road.

SIX-room (and maid's), modern, well furnished house. Weir, corner Boundary Road and MacLaren Avenue; five minutes' walk from Foul Bay car terminus. Phone 4505L1.

THREE-room cottage, furnished absolutely complete, including bed linen, crockery, cutlery, kitchen utensils, etc.; modern, with portable bath, beautiful location on the waterfront, at Foul Bay; rent $15 month to capable tenant. Apply Mrs. Denny, 1842 Crescent Road, phone 5163L.

TO Let—Furnished 5-room cottage with bath and gas; central. 1045 Yates Street; with or without garage. Phone 1314Y.

TO Let—Furnished, six-room modern bungalow; furnace. 1901 Duchess St.

TO Rent—Furnished, Victoria West, 7-room modern house, excellent condition. Bagshawe & Co., Pemberton Bldg.

TO Rent—Well furnished 5-room modern house. Phone 4134Y.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

AIREDALE bitch for sale, $5, or exchange young spaniel. J. Hope, Box 1971, Colonist.

BEAUTIFUL singing canaries. 1509 May Street.

FIELD Spaniel bitch and puppies for sale, good hunting strain. Hincks, Langford. Phone Y2348.

FOR Sale—Horses, harness, wagons, heavy and light. B. & S. Stables, 741 Fisgard Street.

FOR Sale—One grade Jersey cow, 3 years old, to calf 30th of this month; or will trade for beef cow of equal value. Thomas Boyles, Marigold Road, Garden City. Phone Colquitz, 7L.

FOR Sale—Persian kittens. Apply 1728 Bank Street, phone 5122L.

FOR Sale—Seven fine milch cows, to be sold privately and cheap; heavy milkers. For particulars address Box 1742, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Thoroughbred Pointer puppies. Apply 844 Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Young Angora goat and Nanny kid, two months old, $25. F. Spencer, Sidney, B. C.

FOR Sale—Young pigs, six weeks old. Apply H. Brewster, Royal Oak P. O.

GORDON setter bitch for sale; worked two seasons; big winner bench shows; latest win Nanaimo; two firsts and special; price $15. Also two black field spaniel dog puppies, 5 and 8 months, bred from prize-winning parents; cheap for quick sale. Apply phone 1933R2, or to J. W. Creighton, 115 Burnside Road.

HORSES for sale at Golden West Bakery, corner Quadra and Princess.

LIME—Agricultural, $3 per ton, in bulk, at kiln. Builders, $1.20 bbl. Maist & Co., 403 Central Bldg., phone 3235.

SACRIFICE—Horse, 4-seated buggy and new harness, $75 cash for quick sale; in splendid condition. Blackburn, 1468 Hamley Street, Fairfield.

SACRIFICE horse, rig and harness, Rowan Street, off Cedar Hill Road. Can be seen Sunday.

SMALL pigs for sale. Lohr, Colwood P. O.

THOROUGHBRED Pointer pup for sale, or exchange for chickens. 1763 Sixth Street.

THREE-year-old Ayrshire family cow and heifer calf. C. Heal, Carey Road.

WANTED—A few purebred White Leghorns, early hatched. A. Forbister, 1441 Walnut St.

WANTED—Horses, 1,100 lbs. and over, must be cheap. Send particulars where and when to be seen, to Box 1958, Colonist.

WANT to buy, good cow, fresh or very near coming in; must stand test. Sampson, 569 Boundary Road, Shoal Bay.

WILL buy old wagons, buggies and harness. 1323 Carnsew St., phone 1117L.

WANT TO EXCHANGE

DAINTY gold and pearl necklace for furs or coat. Box 1848, Colonist.

EQUITY $1,700 in choice Fairfield bungalow for automobile or vacant lot, $1,800 mortgage for balance. P. O. Box 339.

FOR clear title city or suburban property I will trade my 313-acre farm, 210 acres cultivated, 50 to be broken, hip roof barn, house 18x24 ft., also two horses and some implements; equity $2,500, balance $3,000, payable half crop, which is easy. Particulars, Sackville, Box 308, Wilkie, Sask.

HIGH-class revenue bearing house and lot, Winnipeg, $9,000; equity $5,000 for house in Oak Bay or Fairfield, about $8,000; will assume; might pay some cash. Box 1884, Colonist.

NEW bungalow, well rented, small mortgage; will trade for land, Prairie or British Columbia, or clear title lots. Box 1933, Colonist.

SEVEN-room Victoria home, modern and attractive, near car and beach; exchange home, Edmonton. Phone 5225R.

WANTED—Smart clothes or furs in exchange for dainty gold and pearl necklace. Box 1848, Colonist.

WANTED to exchange, team of horses, wagon and harness, for Ford car. Box 90, Thoburn P. O., Esquimalt.

WE specialize in exchanging all classes of property; 600 trades to choose from. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government Street.

WHAT Offers? 18-room modern house, mile circle, cost $11,000 in 1912; mortgage $4,000; will accept best trade offered for equity, vacant lots, acreage or smaller house preferred; no objection to mortgage. P. O. Box 339.

WOULD exchange Victoria lots with part cash, would assume $1,000 of mortgage; district Fairfield or James Bay. Box 1899, Colonist.

$20,000 RESIDENCE, Oak Bay, 8 rooms, fully modern, on six large lots, 137½x240, frontage on two streets, beautiful oak trees and evergreens; coach house, garage, chicken run, tennis court and garden. Will assume, what offers? Box 1172, Colonist.

AUTOMOBILES

A FIVE or 7-passenger automobile for hire. Phone 1787R.

AUTOMOBILES for Sale—1914 Ford, like new; Cadillac, 5-passenger, $550; 1911 Ford, $275; Ford truck. Cameron, 521 Superior Street, behind Parliament Bldgs.

BARGAIN—Hupmobile runabout, first-class order; new Non Skid tires. Phone 3869.

FOR Sale—Excelsior motor cycle, twin, two speed, 1914, Presto light, back seat, in splendid running order. Apply F. Grimm, 650 Pembroke St.

FOR Sale—Ford runabout in running order. Apply after 6 p. m., 419 Bay Street.

FOR Sale—Harley-Davidson motor cycle, nearly new, two speed, tandem seat and Presto light, $250 cash, or would trade for Ford car; must be in good running order. Write W. Hawkins, Quarantine Station, or phone 475.

FOR Sale—Motor cycle, twin, $65 cash; owner leaving city. Box 1893, Colonist.

FORD car, 5-passenger, in use only six months, $375 cash; car may be seen at 1016 Douglas. Phone 3865.

FOR Sale—Overland, 1912 model, 5-passenger, just painted and overhauled; tires all new; Non-Skids on rear; price $650. Plimley's Garage, 735 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.

FOR Sale—Yale motor cycle, twin, Presto light, back seat, in splendid running order; will give easy terms; must sell. Apply Box B, Colonist.

FOR Sale—1912 Studebaker 5-passenger, just overhauled, tires new; Non-Skids on rear; price $500. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.

FOR Sale—1912 Russell Silent Knight, 5-passenger; good order. Price $[illegible]. Plimley's Garage, 735 Johnson Street.

FOR Sale—40 h.p. Oldsmobile, 7-passenger, all new tires; price $[illegible]. Plimley's Garage, 735 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.

FOR Sale—30 h.p. Chalmers, 5-passenger, just repainted, price $[illegible]. Plimley's Garage, 735 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.

INDIAN, twin, 2 speed, good condition; Presto light, side car, tools, everything complete, $175 cash for quick sale. Apply Box 1975, Colonist.

MOTOR Owner's—Saturday is bargain day for tires at the Metropolitan Garage, 731 View Street. Phone 2917.

SECOND-hand automobiles taken as part payment. Plimley's Garage, Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C.

WANTED—Late model Ford car, cheap for cash. Arthur H. Dandridge, motor works, Oak Bay Ave.

$[illegible] — FIVE-passenger [illegible] car, cheap. 1016 Yates St.

LOST AND FOUN[illegible]

AIREDALE bitch pup, [illegible] ears; answers to name "[illegible] ward. Phone 2009.

FOUND on premises, Pointer [illegible] 2406Y, after 5:30.

LOST—Black silk sweater coat [illegible] waiting room. Reward. [illegible]

LOST—Between Sooke and [illegible] sack with blue serge coat [illegible] money and letters in. Cartwri[illegible] Landing, Sooke, or phone 1978.

LOST—On Wednesday, between [illegible] Library and Government; [illegible] wrist watch with expansion [illegible] Please phone 1986R, 91 Govern[illegible] Reward.

STRAYED—From the premises [illegible] Smith, 402 Dundas Street [illegible] West, an English setter dog, [illegible] name of Merlin. Reward on [illegible] above address.

STRAYED to my premises, a [illegible] ewe with large ram lamb, [illegible] ing ends of ears cut off; owner [illegible] same by proving ownership and [illegible] this advertisement. George We[illegible] Sooke Road.

BUSINESS CHANC[illegible]

I HAVE money to invest and [illegible] trade; what have you to [illegible] 1928, Colonist.

TEACHERS WANT[illegible]

TEACHER Wanted—Applications [illegible] position of physical training [illegible] for girls at Victoria High Scho[illegible] received by the Victoria School [illegible] to Sept. 7, next.

WANTED—For private school [illegible] toria, an assistant master [illegible] form. Address Box 1885, Coloni[illegible]

WANTED—Teacher, Coldstrea[illegible] School, near Vernon; state [illegible] position held, class of certificate, [illegible] address last inspector; salary [illegible] cottage can be rented. Reply [illegible] Colonist.

WANTED TO BORR[illegible]

WANTED—$2,500 for two years at reasonable interest; [illegible] security. Reply Box 1784, Coloni[illegible]

TO LEASE

TO Lease—West Saanich Road, [illegible] cultivated, nice home. [illegible] monthly. Apply E. A. Harris, 1[illegible] las Street.

TENDERS WANTE[illegible]

TENDERS Wanted—Sealed ten[illegible] be received by the undersigne[illegible] entire stock in trade, office furn[illegible] fixtures, good will of the busi[illegible] equity in the premises, if de[illegible] Messrs. W. K. Houston & Compan[illegible] and Vinegar Works, situate at [illegible] Fisgard Street. All tenders mu[illegible] ceived not later than 5 o'cl[illegible] August 28, 1915. For further [illegible] and information apply to P. C. H[illegible] signee, 417 Pemberton Bldg., Cit[illegible]

TENDERS will be received for [illegible] chase of the stock, fixture[illegible] "The Commonwealth," 606-608 Ya[illegible] Victoria, B. C. The stock co[illegible] clothing, men's furnishings, ha[illegible] etc., and may be inspected on [illegible] ises at Victoria, or the stock sh[illegible] at the office of the House of [illegible] Limited, Toronto. A satisfacto[illegible] and terms can be arranged. Te[illegible] be received up to Tuesday, Sept[illegible] either at 606-608 Yates Street, [illegible] or at the office of the House of [illegible] Limited, Toronto. The highest [illegible] tender not necessarily accepted. [illegible] A. M. Hobberlin, Trustee.

AGENTS WANTE[illegible]

AGENTS—"Little Gem" Autom[illegible] Lighters meet instantane[illegible] Newest agents' articles. Over [illegible] cent profit; get busy now. Post[illegible] valuable proposition. Automatic [illegible] ance Co. (Inc.), 1 Union Square, [illegible]

PATENTS WANTE[illegible]

WANTED—Ideas; write for li[illegible] ventions wanted; $1,000,000 [illegible] offered for inventions; our four b[illegible] free; patents secured or fee retur[illegible] for J. Evans & Co., 131 Ninth, W[illegible] D. C.

CROFT & ASHBY

Phone [illegible] View St.—P. O. [illegible]

TIMBER Lands—Over $6,000,00[illegible] in British Columbia, Oregon a[illegible] ington.

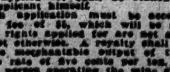
MINES, farms, pulp proposition[illegible]

In the Matter of Joseph Jame[illegible] Otherwise Known as Jame[illegible] Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that al[illegible] having any claims or demands ag[illegible] late Joseph James Lemon, who d[illegible] about the 25th day of April, 191[illegible] toria, British Columbia, are require[illegible] by post prepaid or to deliver to th[illegible] signed, solicitors herein for A. [illegible] Stephen Jones and Robert Mitc[illegible] ecutors and trustees under the wi[illegible] said Joseph James Lemon, their na[illegible] addresses and full particulars in w[illegible] their claims and statements of [illegible] counts and the nature of the sec[illegible] any, held by them.

And take notice that after the [illegible] of September, 1915, the said A. [illegible] Stephen Jones and Robert Mitc[illegible] proceed to distribute the assets of [illegible] deceased among the persons entitled [illegible] having regard only to the claims [illegible] they shall then have had notice, [illegible] the said A. Gonnason, Stephen J[illegible] Robert Mitchell will not be liable [illegible] said assets or any part thereof [illegible] person of whose claim he shall [illegible] have received notice.

Dated at Victoria the 20th day o[illegible] 1915. CREASE & C[illegible] 410 Central Building, Solicitors for [illegible] Trustees.



Synopsis of Coal Mini[illegible] Regulations

COAL mining rights of the Dom[illegible] Manitoba, Saskatchewan and [illegible] the Yukon Territory, the Northwe[illegible] tories and in a portion of the Pro[illegible] British Columbia, may be leas[illegible] term of twenty-one years at an [illegible] rental of $1 an acre. Not mo[illegible] 2,560 acres will be leased to one a[illegible]

Application for a lease must be [illegible] the applicant in person to the A[illegible] Sub-Agent of the district in w[illegible] rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land [illegible] described by sections, or legal sub[illegible] of sections, and in unsurveyed terri[illegible] tract applied for shall be staked [illegible] the applicant himself.

Each application must be acc[illegible] by a fee of $5, which will be [illegible] if the rights applied for are not a[illegible] but not otherwise. A royalty shall [illegible] on the merchantable output of t[illegible] at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine s[illegible] nish the Agent with sworn retu[illegible] counting for the full quantity [illegible] chantable coal mined and pay the [illegible] thereon. If the coal mining rig[illegible] not being operated, such returns s[illegible] furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal [illegible] rights only, but the lessee may [illegible] mitted to purchase whatever availa[illegible] face rights may be considered nece[illegible] the working of the mine at the rat[illegible] an acre.

For full information application [illegible] be made to the Secretary of the [illegible] ment of the Interior, Ottawa, or [illegible] Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion [illegible]

W. W. CO[illegible] Deputy Minister of the [illegible]

N. B.—Unauthorized publication [illegible] advertisement will not be paid for.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that [illegible] [illegible]

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CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

Public Notice

TAX NOTICES have been forwarded to all persons whose names and addresses appear on the books. Any person not having received their notice is hereby requested to communicate with the undersigned in writing.

R. R. F. SEWELL,
Assessor and Collector.

Dated at Royal Oak, B. C., this 21st day of August, 1915.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of Joseph Henry Rule, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Administration Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Murphy, dated 26th day of August, A. D., 1915, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 28th day of September, A. D. 1915, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of August, 1915.

WILLIAM MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

POUND SALE

Corporation District of Saanich

I shall sell by public auction, at the Pound, Glanford Avenue, at 11 a.m., on Monday, August 30, 1915, 1 Bay Horse, with white hind fetlocks, no brand, if not redeemed before.

H. LITTLE,
Pound Keeper.

NOTICE

Take notice, that at the next sitting of the Licence Commissioners I intend to apply for transfer of the Panama Hotel licence, situated at 542 Johnson Street, from D. F. Barnhart to Sidney Alfred Mitchell.

D. F. BARNHART.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners at Victoria, B. C., to be held on the 8th day of September, 1915, for a transfer of the licence now held by me for the Tourist hotel, No. 628 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C., to Thomas Garvin.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1915.

AVERY S. CONKLIN.

BULK OF TRADING IS IN WAR SHARES

Usual Week-End Irregularity Is Feature of Stock Market—Weekly Reviews Are Optimistic in Tone.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Moderate activity with the usual week-end irregularity in prices were the principal features of today's stock market. The bulk of the trading was in war shares and coppers, both groups displaying variable tendencies, probably as a result of contract settlement. Amalgamated Copper was again the chief feature among the metals, declining almost at the outset to 55⅝; it soon broke 3½ points from yesterday's close, making only fractional recovery. Other copper shares were consistently strong, but showed few material changes at the end.

There was again heavy trading in Pig, common and preferred, the latter making a net gain of 5½ to 105, on persistent reports that plans have been completed to pay back dividends. Other stocks, including Fertilizers and Chemicals, rose and fell within 2 to 3 point limits. United States Steel repeated yesterday's high quotation of 77, but yielded slightly at the close. In the final dealings, there came a demand for such obscure stocks as Western Maryland and a few other minor railways. On a single sale of 100 shares, Bethlehem Steel dropped 9½ points to 290.

Total sales amounted to 234,000 shares.

The weekly trade reviews were again of optimistic tenor, with a broadening in demand for mercantile lines. The local bank statement fulfilled popular estimates, reserves increasing by over $12,000,000 and placing the excess reserves at the high figure of almost $205,000,000.

Interest was manifested in the further imports of British gold by way of Canada, but bankers identified with the transaction declined to disclose the amount of gold and securities involved. Demand sterling broke to the new low record of 4.62½, or ⅝c. Rates on Paris and Rome were weaker.

Bond dealings were light, with a lower tendency. Total sales, par value, $1,320,000.

All United States bonds and Panama 2's were lower by ¼ to ½ per cent during the week.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.
Alaska Gold	33½	33	33¼
Allis-Chalmers	40⅝	39¼	39½
do pfd.	71	70¼	69½
Amn. Coal Pdks.	157½	151½	155½
Amn. Agr. Chem.	63	59⅝	62½
Amn. Beet Sugar	66	65	65⅞
Amn. Can.	61¼	60½	60⅝
Amn. Car and Fdy.	73⅜	72	72¼
Amn. Cotton Oil	52⅞	52	52
Amn. Ice Securities	..	..	24
Amn. Locomotive	55⅛	54	55½
Amn. Smelting	82¼	81⅝	81⅝
Amn. Sugar	..	..	110
Amn. Tel. and Tel.	..	..	123½
Anaconda	74⅞	74¼	74⅝
Atchison	101	100⅞	101½
Balt. and Ohio	82	81½	81⅝
Bethlehem Steel	291	290	290
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	..	..	85
C. P. R.	151⅝	151½	151⅝
Crucible Steel	76½	75	75⅝
Central Leather	44⅝	41	44½
Ches. and Ohio	46¼	45½	46¼
C. and G. W.	11⅝	11½	11½
do pfd.	..	..	29
C. M. and St. P.	83	82¾	82½
Colo. Fuel and Iron	44¼	43⅝	42⅝
Colo. and Southern	..	..	27
Con. Gas	..	..	127
Distillers Sec.	33	27	27¾
Erie	26⅝	26⅛	26⅛
do 1st pfd.	..	..	42⅝
do 2nd pfd.	..	..	[illegible]
Gen. Motors	..	..	315½
Goodrich	62	62⅝	62⅝
Great Nor. pfd.	115¾	118¾	118¾
Great Nor. Ore. ctfs.	42⅞	42⅝	42
Guggenheim	65¾	67½	67⅝
Illinois Cent.	..	..	101
Inter-Metro.	21⅝	21	20¾
do pfd.	..	..	76
Inter. Harvester	109	108¼	108¼
Kan. City So.	27	26⅝	26⅝
Louis and Nash.	..	..	115
Lehigh Valley	..	..	142
N. Y. Air Brake	148¾	147¾	148
Maxwell Motor	..	..	42½
Mex. Petro.	85⅝	85	85
M. S. P. and S. S. M.	..	..	117
M. K. and T.	8½	8	8
do pfd.	..	..	17
Mo. Pacific	4	3½	3½
Nat. Biscuit	119	118⅝	118½
Nat. Lead	66½	65	64⅝
Nevada Cons.	15⅜	15	15¼
New Haven	..	..	62½
N. Y. Central	..	..	90¾
N. Y. O. and W.	26	25¾	25⅝
Norfolk and West.	108	107½	107½
North America Co.	..	..	72
Northern Pacific	108⅞	108½	108⅝
Pacific Mail	..	..	32
Pennsylvania	..	..	108⅝
People's Gas	..	..	115
Pittsburg Coal	28¼	28	26
do pfd.	106½	100	101
Pressed Steel Car	61⅝	61⅛	61⅛
Railway Steel Spg.	39⅝	39½	38⅝
Reading	149⅜	145⅜	148⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel	45	44⅝	44⅝
do pfd.	102½	102	101½
Sloss Sheffield	56	55	55½
Southern Pac.	90⅝	90	90⅜
Sou. Railway	15⅝	15¼	15½
do pfd.	..	..	48½
Standard Milling	..	..	55
Studebaker Corp.	112⅝	110¼	112
Tenn. Copper	57¼	54½	56
Texas Pacific	..	..	9½
Twin City	..	..	91
Union Pacific	131⅝	131	131
do pfd.	..	..	81
U. S. Rubber	51½	49⅞	49⅞
do 1st pfd.	..	..	102½
U. S. Realty	..	..	36
U. S. Steel	77	76⅝	76½
do pfd.	112½	112¼	112
Utah Copper	69⅝	68⅛	68⅝
Va. Car. Chem.	40½	39¼	40⅜
do pfd.	..	..	101
Western Union	72⅝	72	72
Westinghouse	116⅝	116	116¼
Wisconsin Cent.	..	..	35
Granby (Boston)	..	..	87

Total sales—386,900 shares.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, Aug. 28.—That wheat prices were too panicky today to do any business was the comment of some of the exporters. The decline which had been occurring daily took a pause today and quite a sharp reaction followed. After a weak opening, prices advanced, and at about 11 a.m., October was 91⅜, December 91 and May 96⅝, which showed an advance over the opening of 1¼c to 1⅞c. This was not maintained.

Oats opened at 35¼, being ⅛c higher, and grew stronger later. Flax opened at 1½c higher and made further advances. In Winnipeg futures October took the lead, some good buying by exporters being apparent. In the cash department, there was a keen demand for nearby new crop wheat of all grades by exporters, millers and dealers, but there was none offering. For old oats there was a good demand. There was a little inquiry and nothing doing in flax.

The total number of inspections yesterday was 64 cars, as against 116 last year. Included in the 64 were 41 cars new wheat, 2 of new oats and 8 of new barley. In sight for inspection today were 95 cars.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Oct.	89½	90⅝
Dec.	89½	90⅝
May	95½	96⅝
Oats—		
Oct.	35⅛	35¼
Barley—		
Sept.	46	46¼
Flax—		
Oct.	143½	144½
Dec.	143½	144

Cash prices: Wheat—No. 1 Nor., 96⅝; No. 2 Nor., 94¾.

Oats (old crop)—2 C. W., 49; 3 C. W., 48; extra 1 feed, 48; No. 1 feed, 46; No. 2 feed, 44.

Barley—No. 3, 47; No. 4, 43; rejected, 40; feed, 40.

Flax—No. 1 C. W., 142½; No. 2 C. W., 139½.

IMPROVED BUSINESS

More Buyers at Public Market Caused Better Demand and Prices Held Firm

An improved business was noted at the public market yesterday, the attendance of buyers being considerably larger than on Wednesday. Prices ruled firm on the improved demand, and there was a greater variety of offerings. Prices were quoted at the following average figures:

Meats—Veal, 18c to 25c per lb; lamb, 18c to 25c; beef, 10c to 22c; pork, 14c to 18c; poultry, 18c; broilers, 25c.

Fruits—Prunes, 60c a crate; blackberries, 3 lbs. for 25c; pears, $1.25 per box; apples, No. 1, $1.25 per box; No. 2, 75c.

Dairy products—Eggs, 40c per doz.; butter, 40c per lb.

Vegetables—Beets, 3 for 10c; onions, 5c per bunch; cauliflower, 5c each for large, and 3 for 10c for small; celery, 3 for 10c; vegetable marrow, 5c; tomatoes, 6 lbs. for 25c; potatoes, $1 per sack; corn, 15c per doz.

Fish—Halibut, 10c per lb.; fillet of cod, 12½c; shrimps, 20c; cod, 10c; bloaters, 10c; kippers, 10c; salmon, 10c to 12½c; crabs, 10c to 12½c per lb.; herring, 3 lb. for 25c; smelts, 10c.

LOCAL MARKETS

Vegetables		
Beans, green, lb.		.08
Beans, wax, lb.		.08
Beets, 3 bunches		.10
Cabbage, lb.		.03½
Carrots, 3 bunches		.05
Celery, Okan., bunch		.05
Citron, lb.		.04
Corn, green, dozen		.15
Cucumbers, H. H., each	.05 and	.10
Egg Plant, lb.		.14
Grapes, Malaga, bskt.		.60
Grapes, local HH., bskt.		.50
Lettuce, local, head		.05
Marrows, lb.		.04
Melons, Casaba		.40
Onions, Green, 3 bndls.		.10
Onions, dry, 14 lbs.		.25
Parsley, bunch		.05
Peaches, crate		1.00
Peppers, lb.	.25 and	.30
Plums, basket		.90
Potatoes, River, sack		.90
Potatoes, local, sack		.75
Potatoes, new, 10 lbs.		.40
Prunes, crate		.65
Pumpkin, lb.		.03
Rhubarb, 7 lbs.		.25
Turnips, 15 lbs.		.25
Tomatoes, local HH., 4 lb.		.25
Watercress, bunch		.05
Watermelons, each	.30 to	.50
Fruits		
Apples, local, 3 lbs.		.25
Apples, box	1.00 to	1.25
Apricots, crate	1.00 and	1.15
Bananas, doz.		.30
Blackberries, 3 baskets		.25
Canteloupes, Cal., each	.10 and	.15
Grapefruit, Cal., basket		.85
Grapefruit, Cal., lower grade, 3 for		.25
Lemons, Cal., dozen	.30 and	.30
Oranges, Valencia, dozen	.30, .40 and	.50
Peaches, local, basket		.25
Pears, Bartlett, l'ge bskt.		.25
Plums, Cal., bskt.	.25, .40 and	.50
Sugar		
B. C. Granulated, 20 lbs.		1.55
B. C. Granulated, 100 lbs.		7.65
Dairy Produce and Eggs		
Butter—		
Comox, lb.		[illegible]
Cowichan Creamery, lb.		[illegible]
Eastern Creamery, lb.		[illegible]
Northwest Creamery, lb.		.40
Cheese—		
Canadian, lb.		[illegible]
Canadian Stilton, lb.		[illegible]
English Stilton, lb.		[illegible]
Eggs, local, dozen		[illegible]
Eggs, eastern, dozen		.40
Feed		
Barley, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Barley, ground, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Bran, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Corn, 100 lbs.		2.30
Corn, cracked, 100 lbs.		2.30
Oats, 100 lbs.		1.75
Oats, crushed, 100 lbs.		1.80
Shorts, 100 lbs.		[illegible]

Wheat, No. 1, 100 lbs.		2.20
Wheat, No. 2, 100 lbs.		[illegible]
Hay, Alfalfa, ton	[illegible] to	[illegible]
Hay, Timothy, ton	[illegible] to	[illegible]
Straw, bale		.90
Flour		
B. & K. Bread Flour, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Purity, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Five Roses, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Robin Hood, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Royal Household, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Royal Standard, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Gold Seal, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Snowflake, 49-lb. sack		1.80
Wild Rose, 49-lb. sack		1.50
Meats		
Beef, loin roasts, lb.	.20 and	.25
Beef, ribs, lb.	.18 to	.20
Beef, boiling, lb.	.10 to	.12½
Mutton, forequarters, lb.		.15
Mutton, hindquarters, lb.		.18
Mutton, leg, lb.		.25
Mutton, loin, lb.		.25
Chicken, lb.	.25 to	.30
Fowl, lb.		.25
Broilers, lb.	.18 to	.25
Fryers, each		.65
Ducks, young, lb.	.25 to	.25
Geese, lb.		.25
Bacon, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.28 to	.30
Hams, Canadian Sugar Cured, lb.	.18 to	.25
Pork, Shoulders, lb.	.15 to	.18
Pork, loins, lb.		.25
Pork, Legs, lb.	.18 to	.20
Pork sausage, pure		.20
Turkeys, cold storage, lb.		.30
Fish		
Bloaters, lb.		.10
Cod, lb.		.10
Cod Fillets, lb.		.15
Finnan Haddie, lb.		.10
Halibut, lb.		.12½
Halibut, smoked, lb.		.15
Herring, lb.		.05
Herring, Kippered, lb.		.10
Oysters, Esquimalt, doz.		.50
Salmon, lb.		.10
Salmon, frozen, lb.		.10
Salmon, smoked, lb.	.20 to	.25
Salmon, Kippered, lb.		.15
Salmon, Spring, lb.		.12½
Skate, lb.		.10
Smelts, lb.		.10
Soles, lb.		.10
Whiting, lb.		.12½

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Duly instructed by Dan. Campbell, Esq., will sell by Public Auction at the **Colwood Hotel**, on

Tuesday, August 31

At 2 o'clock sharp, the whole of his

Poultry, Etc.

Including:

350 Chickens, 50 Geese, 50 Turkeys, 12 Guinea Fowls, 15 Ducks, 10 Sheep, Driving Gelding, Rubber Tired Buggy and Harness, 3-year-old Gelding, Express Wagon, Black Driving Mare, Riding Horse, broken to harness; etc.

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MAYNARD & SONS Auctioneers

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Have been instructed by Mr. Dewar to sell by Public Auction at 635 Hillside Avenue (just below Government Street) on

Tuesday Next, Aug. 31

Commencing at 2 o'clock, all the

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Under and by virtue of a Landlord's Distress Warrant, I have distrained the goods and chattels in and upon the premises of The Newcastle Lumber Mills, Ltd., or other tenant, corner Bridge and John Streets, Victoria, B.C., consisting of Safe, Desk, Typewriter, Chairs, a quantity of Flooring, Ceiling, Siding, Dimension Lumber, sized Mouldings, Dressed Lumber, also a corrugated Iron Scotch Steel Frame Storage Shed, etc.; and will offer the same for sale at public auction on the premises on Wednesday next, September 1, at 10:30 a. m.

Terms of sale, cash.

F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff
Bailiff for Landlord

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C.
August 28, 1915.

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Duly instructed by J. P. Walls, Esq., on behalf of a client, will sell by Public Auction at 1352 Carnsew Street, Fairfield Estate, on

Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 1 and 2

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Household Furniture

Linen, Pictures, Books, Chinaware, etc., including:

Drawing Room—First class Piano, by Williams, Victrola, cost $250, with about 80 Records, a number of them being "Red Seal," with records of Melba, Clara Butt, Caruso, Harry Lauder, McCormack, etc.; Mahogany Cabinet, Mahogany Writing Table, Carved Mahogany Cabinet, Mahogany Centre Table, very handsome Three-piece Mahogany Drawing Room Suite, upholstered in Brocade, with Spring Edges; Upholstered Cane Chair, Majolica Jardiniere and Stand; Et. Lt. Standard Lamp, several very fine Oil Paintings, Water Color Sketches by George Gregory, Handsome Mirror, Specimen of Wedgwood, Davenport, Satsuma Crown Derby, etc., very fine Axminster Square, Rugs, Curtains, etc.

Hall—Oak Hall Stand, Occasional Tables, very good Mountain Sheep's Head, 17 in. at base and 38 in. on the curve; Jardinieres, Portieres, Pictures, Rugs, etc.

Dining Room—Handsome Carved Oak Dining Room Table, 5 Oak Diners, upholstered in Red Morocco; Oak Buffet, Bookcases, Singer Sewing Machine, Mission Oak Rocker, upholstered in Leather; Oak Rocker, Oak Sofa, large Marble Clock, 2 Bronze Ornaments, Decorative Plates, Axminster Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, Pictures, etc.

Books—7 vols. Stevenson, half calf; 15 vols. Oriental Tales, numbered copy; 15 vols. Popular Science, 2 vols. Life of Gladstone, 7 vols. Lloyd's Encyclopaedia, 29 vols. complete set of the Encyclopaedia Britannica, with soft boards in full calf; 6 vols. of Morris' British Birds, plates finished by hand; 3 vols. of Morris' Birds, Nests and Eggs; 12 vols. of Fennimore Cooper's Works, 6 vols. Gibbon's Rise and Fall of the Roman Empire, complete set of Dickens, bound volumes of The Strand, Pall Mall and Century Magazines; Walter Scott Novels, 2 vols. Dilkes' Greater Britain, 2 vols. Fitzpatrick's Dan O'Connell, 4 vols. Magazine of Art, 2 vols. Rivers of Great Britain, Novels, etc.

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China, Glassware and Plate—Limoges Dinner Service, Limoges Tea Set, Wedgwood, Crown Derby and Spode Teacups and Saucers, Cut Glass Decanters, Tantalus, Cut Glass Bowls, Water Bottle, Bonbon Dishes, Electroplated Tea and Coffee Service, Spoons and Forks, Cutlery, Jam Dishes, Butter Dishes, Cruets, etc.

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Dated this 10th day of July, 1915.

F. W. HOSTENBACH,
By his attorney-in-fact, W. G. [illegible].

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT, B.C.

Sale of Lands for Unpaid Taxes in the Township of Esquimalt, and Rural Municipality School District of Esquimalt

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that on Wednesday, the 1st day of September, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Municipal Offices, Esquimalt, B. C., I will offer for sale, by public auction, the following lands as hereinafter set forth for the delinquent taxes, subsequent taxes in arrear and interest, together with costs and expenses, if the amount due is not sooner paid.

NAME OF OWNER	DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	Taxes and Interest	Costs and Expenses	Total
Wilby, H. E.	Esq. Dis., Map 29, Suburban Lots 19 and 21, Lot 8	$ 22.56	$ 3.12	$ 25.68
Mitchell, John F.	Esq. Dis., Map 29, Suburban Lots 19 and 21, Lot 9	22.56	3.12	25.68
Fisher, Ira J. J.	Esq. Dis., Map Ab. F., Vol. 421, Suburban Lots 23 and 24, Blk. A, Lot 11	30.07	3.50	33.57
Mitchell, W. N.	Esq. Dis., Map Ab. F., Vol. 421, Suburban Lots 23 and 24, Blk. A, Lot 13	24.06	3.20	27.26
Wood, Fred. Whalley	Esq. Dis., Map Ab. F., Vol. 421, Suburban Lots 23 and 24, Blk. C, Lot 21	30.07	3.50	33.57
Wood, Fred. Whalley	Esq. Dis., Map Ab. F., Vol. 421, Suburban Lots 23 and 24, Blk. C, Lot 22	24.06	3.20	27.26
Unknown	Esq. Dis., Map Ab. F., Vol. 421, Suburban Lots 23 and 24, Blk. C, Lot 23	24.06	3.20	27.26
Wood, Fred. Whalley	Esq. Dis., Map Ab. F., Vol. 421, Suburban Lots 23 and 24, Blk. D, Lot 39	24.06	3.20	27.26
Copeman, J. Y.	Suburban Lot 24, Lot 33a, Esq. Dis., Map 316A	3.74	2.16	5.90
Norden, Mary E.	Esq. Dis., D. D. 54, Suburban Lots 45 and 37, Lot 7	27.07	3.35	30.42
Norden, Mary E.	Esq. Dis., D. D. 54, Suburban Lots 45 and 37, Lot West ½ of 8	20.30	3.08	23.38
Norden, Mary E.	Esq. Dis., D. D. 54, Suburban Lots 45 and 37, Lot 35	18.04	2.90	20.94
Norden, Mary E.	Esq. Dis., D. D. 54, Suburban Lots 45 and 37, Lot 36	22.56	3.12	25.68
Norden, Mary E.	Esq. Dis., D. D. 54, Suburban Lots 45 and 37, Lot 45	22.56	3.12	25.68
De Salis, D. B.	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Sub. Lot 1 of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4	22.56	3.12	25.68
De Salis, D. B.	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Sub. Lot 1a of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4	22.56	3.12	25.68
De Salis, D. B.	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Sub. Lot 2 of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4	22.56	3.12	25.68
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 5	33.08	3.65	36.73
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 6	33.08	3.65	36.73
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 15	45.12	4.25	49.37
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 16	33.08	3.65	36.73
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 17	42.11	4.10	46.21
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 18	33.08	3.65	36.73
Vancouver Financial Corporation	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 19	33.08	3.65	36.73
Williams, H. A. and Clark, R. P.	Sec. 26, Esq. Dis., Map 424, Lot 35	33.08	3.65	36.73
Johnson, Nellie C.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 1, Lot 2	13.84	2.73	16.57
Willis, Mrs.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 2, Lot 3	20.68	3.03	23.71
Willis, Mrs.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 2, Lot 4	20.68	3.03	23.71
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 2, Lot 8	20.68	3.03	23.71
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 2, Lot 10	20.68	3.03	23.71
Tracksell, Edwin	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 2, Lot 11	37.60	3.88	41.48
Tracksell, Edwin	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 2, Lot 12	17.30	2.86	20.16
Oleson, A.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 4, Lot 6	14.59	2.72	17.31
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 4, Lot 23	30.07	3.50	33.57
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 4, Lot 24	21.43	3.07	24.50
Turpel, William	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 4, Lot 29	21.43	3.07	24.50
Turpel, William	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1153, Blk. 4, Lot 30	21.43	3.07	24.50
Idiens, J.	Esq. Dis., Map 1162, Sub. Lot 16 of Lots 11 and 12	27.07	3.35	30.42
Webb, P.	Esq. Dis., Map 1157, Sub. Lot 14 of Lot 17, Blk 5	27.07	3.35	30.42
Barr, R. V.	Esq. Dis., Map 1157, Blk. 5, South 35 ft. of Sub. Lot 20 of Lot 17	9.78	2.48	12.26
Jewsbury, Arthur	Esq. Dis., Map 1157, Blk. 5, Sub. Lot 22 of Lot 17	33.08	3.65	36.73
Russell, Mrs. Emily Maud	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 83, Blk. 5, West ½ of Lot 3	87.23	6.36	93.59
Harvey, J. E.	Esq. Dis., Map 772, Suburban Lots 49 and 51, Blk. C, Lot 5	28.58	3.42	32.00
Hamilton, E.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 195A, Blk. 20, Sub. Lot 2 of Lot 30	27.07	3.35	30.42
Gaunt, C. A.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. E, Lot 30	30.07	3.50	33.57
Clegg, C. J.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. E, Lot 31	30.07	3.50	33.57
Clegg, C. J.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. E, Lot 32	30.07	3.50	33.57
Brown, T. N.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. E, Lot 34	30.07	3.50	33.57
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 16	48.89	4.44	53.33
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 17	61.68	5.08	66.76
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 18	58.62	4.93	63.55
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 19	37.59	3.87	41.46
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 20	30.07	3.50	33.57
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 21	30.07	3.50	33.57
Steele, A. B.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 292, Blk. D, Lot 22	46.62	4.33	50.95
Studbaker, A. O.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1327, Blk. 1, Sub. Lot 6 of Lots 2 and 3	27.07	3.35	30.42
Hanna, Sara	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1327, Blk. 1, Sub. Lot 10 of Lots 2 and 3	24.82	3.24	28.06
Catterall, W.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1327, Blk. 1, Sub. Lot 12 of Lots 2 and 3	30.08	3.50	33.58
Catterall, W.	Sec. 11, Esq. Dis., Map 1327, Blk. 1, Sub. Lot 13 of Lots 2 and 3	27.08	3.35	30.43
Heatherington, R.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 195, Blk. 1, East 100 ft. of Lot 7	85.78	6.28	92.06
Milne, Andrew	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 1127, Blk. 2, Sub. Lot 4 of Lots 28, 29, 31 and 35	24.06	3.20	27.26
Haviland, Harriett T.	Esq. Dis., Map 1137, Blk. E, Sub. Lot 8 of Lot 5	25.57	3.27	28.84
Richmond, F. W.	Sec. 10 and 11, Esq. Dis., Map 913, Blk. 17, West ½ of Lot 6	60.13	5.00	65.13
Johnson, H.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 1251, Sub. Lot 5 of Lots 13 and 14	33.31	3.16	36.47
Kirschbaum, C.	Sec. 10, Esq. Dis., Map 326, Blk. A, Sub. Lot 24 of Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20	24.06	3.20	27.26

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Dated at Esquimalt, B. C., this 30th day of July, 1915.

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MEANS BIG LOSS TO AMERICANS

British Order-in-Council Prohibiting Trade to and From Germany Hits Many Lines of Business.

BERLIN, Aug. 28, via London.—American business men in Germany are taking the gloomiest view of the fate of great quantities of goods ordered in Germany for the American Christmas trade. They say that the loss on these goods will amount to millions. Orders totalling about $50,000,000 for such wares as toys, Bohemian glassware, bronzes, Christmas cards and optical specialties had been placed, mostly last Autumn, for Summer delivery, it is stated, this being the usual practice in order to give American wholesalers an opportunity to place the goods. The articles are all of a seasonable variety and become valueless unless delivered immediately. The British order-in-council, although not effective when the orders for the goods were placed, prevents delivery.

American dentists, who constitute one of the most numerous elements among the Americans in Europe, also are suffering under the war situation. This is not on account of any anti-American feeling or any slackening in the demand for their services, but because they are unable to get dental supplies, and artificial teeth from America.

From the lighter side the order-in-council also is playing havoc with golf supplies. Golf balls and clubs are being exhausted rapidly and ardent golfers are objurgating England and planning an appeal to their fellow enthusiasts in America.

INVENTIONS BRANCH FOR MUNITION WORK

Will Consider Projects Advanced for Assistance of Land Warfare—Eminent Scientists Help

The Minister of Munitions has constituted a Munitions Inventions Branch of the Ministry and has appointed as Comptroller Mr. E. W. Moir, M. Inst. C. E., and M. Am. Soc. C. E. The branch, which for the present is located in Armament Buildings, Whitehall Place, will have the duty of considering projects for inventions relating to munitions for warfare on land, or matters appertaining thereto.

The Comptroller and staff of the branch will be assisted by a panel of honorary scientific and other experts, and the following have accepted Mr. Lloyd George's invitation to act on this panel:

Colonel Goold Adams, Governor of Queensland.

Mr. Horace Darwin, Chairmen Cambridge Scientific Instrument Company.

Mr. Macdougal Duckham.

Mr. W. Duddell, Consulting Engineer.

Mr. Sebastian Z. de Ferranti, Electrical Engineer.

Prof. Glasebrook, Director National Physical Laboratory.

Sir Robert Hadfield of the Sheffield steel firm.

Prof. J. S. Haldane (investigated gas poisoning and its prevention at the front).

Colonel N. B. Heffernan.

Sir Alexander Kennedy, Emeritus Professor of Engineering, University of London.

Mr. F. W. Lanchester, Aeronautical Authority and Motor Engineer.

[illegible] Watt College, Edinburgh.

Prof. Vivian Lewes, Chief Superintending Gas Examiner, City of London.

Mr. Michael Longridge.

Mr. W. H. Maw, M.I.C.E., editor of "Engineering."

Sir Hiram Maxim, Inventor of Automatic System of Firearms.

Capt. Moore, R. N.

Sir Henry Norman, M. P., Author and Traveler.

Mr. F. G. Ogilvie, Director of Science Museum.

Major-General G. K. Scott-Moncrieff, Director of Fortifications and Works.

Mr. Wilfrid Stokes.

Mr. James Swinburne, Consulting Engineer.

Sir Joseph John Thomson, Cavendish Professor of Experimental Physics at Cambridge.

Mr. A. J. Walter, K. C., a former member of the Automobile Club.

Mr. C. J. Wilson, Textile Expert.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE SPEAKS TO WELSHMEN

Foresees Ultimate Victory, Though Contest May Be Long—Teutonic Forces Unshackling Russia

Mr. Lloyd George in his Eisteddfod speech yesterday said the first thing he got on arrival was a letter from a man who had been singing and had not succeeded in the competition asking if there was a vacancy for him in the Munitions Office in London. (Laughter.)

"I am glad you are holding the Eisteddfod. I did not relish the idea of the Welsh muse being placed in an internment camp with barbed wire to keep her from getting out till the end of the war. I have come to hear the harp of the bards above the shriek of the shells. What is the good of asking 'Is it peace?' On quiet nights from my cottage in Surrey (Walton Heath) I can hear the sound of the cannon fired in anger on the ruddied fields of death in France. 'Is there peace?' No, because an unclean spirit has possessed the rulers of a great nation.

"Some of us thought that the religious revivals of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries had broken the fighting spirit of our race. No real religion ever yet broke a nation's spirit; it disciplines its strength, it elevates its purpose. When justice is menaced that nation becomes more formidable than ever. ("Hear, hear.")

"We have a greater army from Wales alone than Wellington commanded at Waterloo ("Hear, hear"), and they have not ceased coming yet. The presentation by the King of the colors to the Welsh Guards the other day was a glorious spectacle. ("Hear, hear.") While I was looking at those men standing in a heavy shower of hail I could not help thinking that if it had been a shower of shrapnel bullets they would have stood it just as undismayed. (Cheers.)

"I have no doubt that however long victory tarry, it will ultimately come. (Loud cheers.) We may have to wait for the dawn. The Eastern sky is dark and lowering; the stars have been clouded over. Regard that stormy horizon with anxiety but with no dread. (Cheers.) Today I can see the color of a new hope beginning to empurple the sky. The enemy in their victorious march know not what they are doing. Let them beware, for they are unshackling Russia. (Cheers.) With their monster artillery they are shattering rusty bars that fettered the strength of the people of Russia. (Loud cheers.) You can see them shaking their powerful limbs free from the stifling debris and preparing for the conflict with a new spirit. (Cheers.) Austria and Prussia are doing for Russia today what their military ancestors effected just as unwittingly for France. (Cheers.) They are hammering a sword that will destroy them and are freeing a great nation to wield it with a more potent stroke and a [illegible] (Loud cheers.)

"We must fight on or forever sink as a people into impotent obscurity. Our own share of the task is becoming greater as the months roll past; it is to see that the suffering and the loss shall not be in vain—(cheers)—that wheat and not tares are sown in the bleeding soil, and in due season we shall reap if we faint not." (Loud cheers.)

OBITUARY NOTICES

The funeral of Alice Hodgkinson, whose death occurred last Tuesday, was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of her grandparents, 930 Queen's Avenue, where the services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Scott.

The funeral of Pte. Archibald Millar, whose death occurred at Vernon Camp recently, will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Parlors, where Rev. Robert Hughes, of the Esquimalt Methodist Church, will officiate at the ceremonies.

We must be prepared to stake everything or lose everything. There is no middle course.—H. J. Jennings.

The present does influence the finest artist. There is no "ought" about it, except for the bad artists, who should justify their existence by obedience.—Wyndham Lewis.

Russia will never be conquered while the world lasts, not only because of the extent of its territory, but because of the soul of its people. They may be pushed back, but they will burn and suffer and suffer and burn as they go.—Bishop of London.

With all respect due to learned, powerful, great Germany, that marvellous example of organization and resistance. I must say, in the name of my country—no vassalage; no protectorate under anyone. The dream of a universal hegemony has been shattered. The whole world is risen up against it. —Antonio Salandra, Prime Minister of Italy.

The earth is full of flowers; the sky is light. Nature is sweet; be sweet to Nature. Love. Believe in the fairies. Love. They are the ones who make roses grown on graves. Everything passes. Except pleasure all is illusion. Believe in your eternal youth. Love. Nothing in the world is worth a sacrifice. We are the thrills of the leaves, the rays of the moon, the perfume of the flowers, the voluptuousness of things, the intoxication of the senses, the troubles of the flesh and blood. You are beautiful. Your youth is in bloom. Love!—Anatole France.

It will be well with our cause if the people here at home will do their part with something of that willingness to listen to the call of God, of that spirit of readiness, of self-sacrifice, of patient cheerfulness, of comradeship and unity which I felt everywhere around me during my visit to the Grand Fleet—Archbishop of York.

"The Simple Life," as a phrase, has become a joke; and, under the salutary discipline of Mr. McKenna, will soon be a [illegible] but still it is true that a poor man is, by the very nature of his lot, free from all manner of artificial evils which wealth brings in its train.—G. W. E. Russell.

Arts and Crafts' Club—A general meeting of the Island Arts and Crafts Club will be held on Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Alexandra Club. It is hoped that there will be a full attendance as business of importance is to be discussed.

NO "CHEAP" SHOES

But Hundreds of Pairs of Advance Styles in Fine Quality Footwear at Startling Reductions—It Pays to Buy Good Shoes! Every Shoe in Stock Is on Sale.

The Bootery's REMOVAL SALE

In Full Swing All This Week—A Genuine Sale Before Moving Sept. 15 (Store Opens Daily at 8:30 a.m.)

Ready for Tomorrow — Rare Bargains in All Lines—COME EARLY

$6.00 VALUES in Women's Tan Walking or Street Shoes; grey cloth tops; tan leather facings and back straps; low rubber heels; juniper soles; straight last. One of the newest styles. Sale $2.95

$5.00 VALUES in a special lot of Women's Pumps; patent leather; dull kid and calf. Various new styles. Sale $2.95

$6.00 VALUES in Women's Lace Boots; Napoleon cut with diamond tips; fine tan russet calf with sand cloth tops; leather lace stays; Louis heel. The last word in vogue. Sale $2.95

$6.00 VALUES in Women's Patent Lace Boots in latest New York petite last. Sale $3.95

$6.00 VALUES in Women's Dainty Patent Pumps; ornamented on side. Sale $4.35

$5.00 VALUES in Women's Fine Velvet La Valliere Pumps. Sale $3.15

$5.00 VALUES in Women's Patent or Gun Metal, Cloth Top, Button Boots. Sale $2.95

$5.00 VALUES in Men's Fine Patent Colt Laced Boots; new last; Goodyear welt. Sale $3.95

$5.00 VALUES in Men's Metal Calf Bluchers, with double soles. Sale $3.35

$3.50 VALUES in Boys' Calf Bluchers, with solid leather soles. Sale $2.35

$1.50 VALUES in Children's Fine Kid Button Boots; foot form last. Sale 95c

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Monday and Tuesday, the Last Two Days of the August Furnishing Sale

THE last two days of the August Furnishing Sale will be remarkable for the wonderful savings offered in clean-up lots. All surplus stocks in Carpets, Draperies, Crockeryware and Furnishings are marked down to regular clean-up prices, and two very busy days will result.

A Big Clean-Up of High-Grade Carpets

The following offerings are in limited quantities only, in some cases only two and three at a price. All who wish to take advantage of these extraordinary savings will be wise in making their purchases early to save disappointment.

2 only, High-Grade Axminster Rugs, size 10 ft. 6 in. x 12 ft. Regular price, $54.00. Clean-Up Price, each $29.75

3 only, Best Grade Brussels Rugs, size 9 ft. x 12 ft. Regular price, $27.00. Clean-Up Price, each $9.75

5 only, Best Grade Brussels Rugs, size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. Regular price, $24.00. Clean-Up Price, each $8.50

3 only, Good Quality Brussels Rugs, size 7 ft. 6 in x 9 ft. Regular price, $15.00. Clean-Up Price, each $7.90

4 only, Rag Rugs, size 4 ft. x 7 ft. Clean-Up Price, each $2.25

6 only, Axminster Rugs, in blues, fawns and greens; size 4 ft. 6 in. x 6 ft. Regular $10.75. Clean-Up Price, each ..$7.50

8 only, Tapestry Rugs, in good designs and colorings; size 6 ft. 9 in. x 9 ft. Clean-Up Price, each $5.90

Extra Thick Pile Axminster Rugs, in two-tone brown shade; size 9 ft. x 10 ft. 6 in. Clean-Up Price, each $32.00

—Carpets, Second Floor

Exceptional Clearing Values in Curtain and Drapery Fabrics

MONDAY will be your great opportunity to buy useful Curtain and Drapery Fabrics at rare bargain prices. To make a final clean-up of all surplus designs and short ends, we have cut prices to the very lowest, and early shoppers will have the advantage of first choice. A few of the leading values are:

Colored Bordered Scrims—38 in. wide, mostly plain centres and colored borders—a few pieces in allover designs. Special clean-up price at, yard ....10¢

30 and 38 inch Colored Bordered Muslins, in white, cream, and ecru. Also white harness muslins. Special clearing price at, yard, 18¢

American Silkolines—In a fine assortment of designs and colorings. Very neat effects and an artistic drapery. Clearing at, yard .... 17¢

White Spot and Sprig Design Muslins—30, 35 and 45 inches wide, also in plain and fancy striped designs Clearing at, yard ....15¢

—First Floor

A Big Clean-Up of 35c and 45c Draperies—Monday at, Yard 29c

A BIG range of various Drapery Fabrics, all grouped into this one offering for a quick clean-up on Monday. Some rare bargains here, well worth an early shopping trip to secure. Included are:

36 and 38 inch voiles and marquisettes, with plain or bordered edges in ecru and ivory. 45 inch colored bordered muslins, washable and about six designs to choose from. Scalloped border and plain edge Madras in cream shade, 38 and 45 in. wide, also a big range of 31 and 36 inch washable cretonnes and chintz. Regular values 35c and 45c. All to clear at, per yard ....29¢

—First Floor

Hardware Specials for Monday

Steel Fry Pans, "Quick Meal" brand, and in three sizes, special at, each ....25¢

Galvanized Boilers, No. 8 and 9 sizes; to go at $2.00 and $1.75

10 Electric Irons — "Canadian Beauty." By reversing this iron on rest, you have a hot plate for boiling small kettle on. A good reliable quality. Special at, each $3.00

Klean Bright—New stock just in, at, cake ....15¢

—Second Floor

Balance of Camp and Veranda Furniture at Half Price

6 Hickory Chairs and Rockers — Values to $6.75. Clearing at—
Chairs, each $2.25
Rockers, each $2.90

Folding Camp Chairs, two sizes, very comfortable for either veranda or lawn. Clearing at half price, each $1.50

Deck Chairs—Strong canvas seat and back. Each $1.75

Camp Stools—Strong brown canvas seat. Each ....35¢

Camp Cots—Made to fold flat with woven wire spring. Each $2.50 Same style, upholstered, each for $3.50

—Fourth Floo.

New Tams and Ready-to-Wear Hats for Early Fall

In the Millinery Department, on second floor, we show an excellent assortment of new fashionable Tams in plain velvets and corduroys, in white, black, cerise and emerald, also black and white combination, finished with silk tassel and cord. Also a very smart range of new Ready-to-Wear Hats in black velvet and plush. Prices most reasonable.

Black Velvet and Plush Shapes in the newest Fall shapes also being shown.

—Second Floor

10 Pairs Soiled Blankets to Clear at, Pair, $4.50 Reg. Value $6.00

A chance to save on good quality Blankets, if you don't object to their being a little store-soiled. Full size Blankets and a nice, warm quality. Just what you will need this Fall.

A quality usually sold at $6.00, clearing at, pair, $4.50

—Main Floor

Only Two More Days in Which to Buy Floorcloths at These Prices

ON Wednesday, September 1, we shall be compelled to advance prices on our lower-priced floor coverings—then the covering of your floors will cost you decidedly more. Why not make up your mind to place your order on Monday or Tuesday the latest. By so doing you will secure the advantage of lower prices, which means a considerable saving to you.

The following sale prices are exceptionally low ones, and we give you the choice of a good range of designs and colorings, in parquet, floral, tile and matting effects.

Floorcloth At, Sq. Yd. ...28c

Cork Linoleum At, Sq. Yd. ...42c

—Second Floor

Authentic Styles in New Fall Suits at Three Most Reasonable Prices

OUR Man-Tailored Suits at $15.00, $22.50 and $25.00 are made up in our own workrooms at Vancouver, and are absolutely authentic in every detail of design and styles. They are exact reproductions of much higher priced models, that were forwarded direct from the leading fashion centres by our own resident buyers. These Suits are particularly smart and give the wearer a decidedly superior individuality. We are showing various types of garments to suit each particular need, with lengths of coat varying according to the particular requirement.

At $22.50 we also show semi-Norfolk models, as well as the plainer tailored styles, while at $25.00 we have the regular Norfolk Suits in fancy tweeds as well as novelties.

Every Suit is a quality that we can recommend with confidence, and one that our patrons will appreciate.

—First Floor

Stylish Silk Sweater Sets in New Rich Shades

SILK Sweater Sets are much in evidence, and the demand continues as Fall approaches. These garments are ideal for all sports wear, also for shopping or everyday use. No woman can afford to be without one of these stylish Sweater Sets, they are so convenient and serviceable.

The new, rich shades are canary, gold, helio, violet, rose, emerald, Alice blue, champagne and white. Sweater is made in coat shape with V-neck and belt across back. New shape Tam to match. At, set $13.75

—First Floor

Men's Tweed Golf Caps

In new shapes and latest shades and patterns. Splendid values at $1.00 and .....75¢

—Main Floor

Women's Khaki Outing Skirts

Made specially for outing or camping wear, from strong quality khaki drill, finished with pockets. Each $4.50 and $4.75

—First Floor

Bargains in Crockeryware

INCOMPLETE Dinner Sets. Each set contains Cups and Saucers, Fruits, Soup Plates, Bread and Butter Plate, Pudding Plates, Sugar, Boat, Vegetable Dishes, Platter and Slop Bowl. Some pieces missing in each set. A good, serviceable quality in very neat decorations. Clearing at, set $2.00

Rock Tea Pots, each 25c and ....40¢
Odd Dinner Plates, at, dozen ....60¢
Soup Plates ....60¢
Vegetable Dishes, each ....50¢
China Plates, at, dozen $1.00

—Second Floor

Boys' School Shirts and Shirt Waists

Boys' School Shirts, in light and dark stripes and plain colors. Made of gingham, galatea and chambray, with turndown collars attached and soft band cuffs. All sizes. Each ....50¢

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